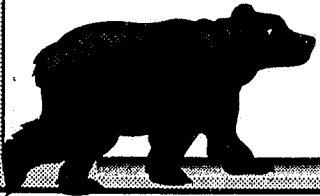


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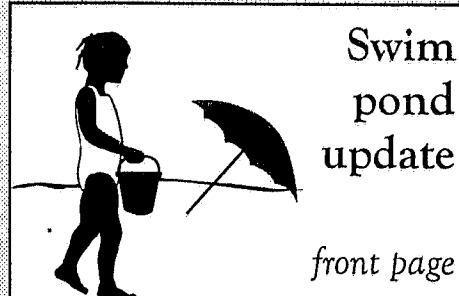
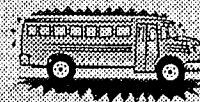


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## Smith Road residents push for bridge repair

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Residents of Smith Farm Road in Mason Township are asking the Bethel Board of Selectmen and Oxford County Commissioners to come "to a swift and satisfactory conclusion," to a dilemma posed by the deteriorating condition of a small bridge that provides access to their homes (Citizen, June 15).

One possible solution, the residents have suggested, would be to expand Mason Township a short distance into Bethel.

The bridge, located in Bethel, spans the Pleasant River. The structure is in need of thousand of dollars of work. If not repaired, it may have to be posted against heavy vehicles — including fire trucks and ambulances.

"This is obviously a problem for us," the residents wrote in a letter sent to the local selectmen and county commissioners. "Were, God forbid, one of our houses to catch fire or one of us be in need of an ambulance, we would be horribly upset to be informed by emergency personnel, 'Sorry, but we cannot get to you because the bridge is not safe for us to cross.' In this day and age, and in this country, that is absolutely an unacceptable situation."

Bethel has traditionally maintained the bridge, and the selectmen have expressed sympathy and concern for the situation of the Mason residents.

But the board is also reluctant to put a large piece of Bethel tax money into a bridge that serves no Bethel residents, and only a small number of people (three households) in Mason.

The selectmen have suggested attempting to have either Oxford County or the Maine Department of Transportation pay for the repairs. But the county commissioners have taken the position that the bridge is Bethel's responsibility, and MDOT has indicated that the bridge, even if it could be repaired with state funds, would be very low on the department's list of priorities.

The Bethel board has even discussed in effect washing its hands of the matter, by asking voters to discontinue Bethel's section of the Smith Farm Road.

That prospect has alarmed the Mason residents. "For obvious reasons (we are) against having our road discontinued," they wrote. "We feel the town should not at-

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## Woodstock needs more money for road paving

Company's estimate 40% too low

By ALISON ALOISIO

A paving company underestimated by 40 percent the amount of tar needed to pave a Woodstock road, according to town officials. As a result, selectmen have called a special Town Meeting for Sept. 5 to appropriate more money to pay for other planned paving work.

The town had purchased and stockpiled 1,200 cubic yards of cold mix from Commercial Paving Co. of Scarborough, in order to pave the Perkins Valley/Cushman Road, Harbor Road, the Dudley Road and the Felt Road this summer. The price was \$8.50 per cubic yard.

Commercial Paving, which also did the paving work, estimated that 650 cubic yards would be needed to do Perkins Valley/Cushman Road, according to Vern Maxfield,

Woodstock town manager.

Instead, said Maxfield, it took 1,000 cubic yards to do those roads. Work was then begun on the Harbor Road, and the mix ran out 200 feet short of the end of the job.

"The estimate was way off," said road foreman Dave Currier.

The town was also left with a bill for 1,259 cubic yards of cold mix hauled from the stockpile — 59 more yards than was believed to be in the pile, Maxfield said. And, he said, the town road crew had used 40 yards themselves from the stockpile before CP began hauling it out for the paving work.

The CP bill for the mix that covered less than two roads totaled \$10,701. The estimate to cover all four roads had been \$10,625.

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## Oak Hill agrees to increase ownership position in ACS

By A.P./MICHAEL DANIELS

A group of investors that provided a crucial \$150 million cash infusion to American Skiing Company last summer is poised to increase its stake in the company.

Texas-based Oak Hill Capital Partners, which is the largest single owner of ASC, pay \$2 million to the company for the right to buy six million more shares of stock at a set price.

If it buys the stock, Oak Hill would pay \$15 million and increase its ownership stake from 48.5 percent to 54 percent.

The change in control would mean little to skiers and workers, according to Leslie B. Otten, ASC's founder, chairman and CEO.

"There's no change in personnel, operations or anything else," Otten said. "To us in the company, the shift is not a significant event."

The move is part of a deal that will increase the company's indebtedness to Fleet National Bank and other investors from \$58 million to \$73 million, said Skip

King, an ASC spokesman.

"It will give us more money to work with," King said. "We have a very ambitious real estate program."

Brad McCurtain, an analyst with Maine Securities, said he expects Oak Hill to buy the stock eventually. Buying now wouldn't make sense because the stock is trading below the stipulated option price of \$2.50 per share, McCurtain said.

The stock closed Tuesday on the New York Stock Exchange at \$2.38. That's down 26 percent from a year ago.

Oak Hill doesn't need majority ownership now because it can control ASC with only minimal sup-

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## Brightening up the past



Sexton Emerson Clough (left) and Howard Crockett stand next to the recently-cleaned gravestone of Joseph Twitchell. The stone says Twitchell was "the first white male child born in Bethel." Born in 1782, he died Nov. 24, 1871.  
(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

## Sunlight streaming in at Bethel's 'garden cemetery'

By ALISON ALOISIO

Stan Howe hopes that anyone dismayed by the cutting of all the large pine trees at Woodland Cemetery in Bethel will be patient.

The huge trees have been coming down gradually over the past four years, as part of a long-term cemetery improvement project. Several were cut last week.

The work was begun by the Bethel Bicentennial Committee in 1996, with Howe as chairman. A cemetery association has since been reactivated.

The idea, Howe said, is to restore the burial ground to its original appearance. The cemetery's design is based on that of the Mt. Auburn Cemetery in Boston, where many of New England's most prominent families are buried. The Boston cemetery was created as a place of natural beauty, using careful landscaping.

And that, said Howe, was the intent of those who established the

**Woodlawn Cemetery's design is based on that of the Mt. Auburn Cemetery in Boston, where many of New England's most prominent families are buried.**

Woodland Cemetery, located on Route 5 just south of Bethel.

"The terracing, the shrubs, the trees plantings," he said, distinguished Woodland from other, older cemeteries in town which

simply utilized old fields as burial sites. The Woodland design, he said, is known as a "garden cemetery."

Woodland's origins may date back to the 18th century, but the cemetery was not officially incorporated until 1858. That was when some of Bethel's most prominent families began to show interest in it, Howe said.

Among those buried there are Dr. Moses Mason and David Hammons, both U.S. congressmen; Clark Edwards, commander of the 5th Maine in the Civil War; Major Gideon Hastings, also a Civil War veteran; and famous organ maker

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**Attention All CRESCENT PARK FAMILIES!**  
The CPS PTA invites you to an evening of fun!

On Tuesday August 22nd from 5:30 to 8:30 pm, the CPS PTA will host a Welcome Back to School Picnic.

There will be dancing, games and fun. All CPS families are invited as are grandparents and special friends (please leave your pets at home.) Bring a picnic lunch, baseball glove, lawn chairs and a blanket.

Hope to see you there!

## Asbestos goes out, rains come in at Telstar

But officials say school will be ready for first day

By ALISON ALOISIO

The classrooms might or might not be ready on time. And last week, the roof leaked and flooded the gym floor.

But students at Telstar high and middle schools should not get their hopes up for an extended summer vacation. The show will go on.

"We will open school on time," Supt. Kent Rosberg told the School Board Monday.

Asbestos removal work has been underway all summer at the school complex, and should be completed shortly. The question, Rosberg said, is "whether we'll have enough days to get all the classrooms ready. It's going to be tight. We'll know more in four or five days."

Removing the asbestos, in the form of floor and ceiling tiles and

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## Swimming pond update

By REBECCA ZICARELLI

While construction of the proposed swimming pond off the North Road won't take place this year, the Bethel Beach Committee has been making progress on its goal of providing residents with a swimming hole.

Don Bennett, chairman of the Beach Committee said, "It seems like this process has lagged. But we believe that the time and preparation are well spent. We want to produce something that works, and that works for several generations to come."

Throughout the summer, hydro geologists from North Star Hydro, in association with Marchewka Associates and Acheron, Inc. have been studying the flow of water through the soil. The information they have found will be helpful in determining a number of design elements that must be decided before construction can begin.

In a swimming pond, water quality is of the utmost importance. Water that is cloudy or home to a host of dangerous bacteria doesn't make for good swimming. The research on the ground water will help to minimize these potential problems.

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## Letters

### TRANSIT COMMITTEE FORGES ON

To the Editor:

The local committee that has been at work for two years researching the opportunity to create a public transit network in the Bethel area is still alive and well. Talks are continuing with Maine DOT, and a meeting will be held with DOT officials in Augusta later this month.

Since Bethel voters declined to accept an interlocal agreement with Newry to operate a transit system, the committee is considering forming a nonprofit corporation that might hire an established company to operate the buses. No details are final at this point, but there is sufficient interest in the business community and among the traveling public, both locals and visitors, to explore new options to establish a state model of rural transit here.

More information will be reported following the DOT meeting. Please stay tuned.

Steve Wight  
Transit Committee Member, Newry

### MILLIES WRAP UP SEASON

To the Editor:

The Mill City All Americans finished in second place, one game behind the Keene Swamp Bats, during the regular season.

The Lowell "Millies" played the Rhode Island Gulls in the first round of the playoffs. The first game saw the Mill City team lose four to one in a rather lackluster way.

The coach, Chip Forest of Harvard University, gave one of the most inspirational speeches I've ever heard. "This is a once-in-a-lifetime chance and you'll always regret not trying your best, spend yourself on the field."

The next two games were as intense as baseball games can get. The second game went to extra innings and both teams had about 10 chances to win and 10 chances to lose. The Mill City team prevailed five to four and the whole crowd stood up and gave both teams a standing ovation. It was a classic.

The third game was just as good. We had two outs in the ninth and they had a runner on second. Needing only one more out to advance to the finals, two solid hits later we were behind. The third out never came. It was the third time this year we needed one more out and didn't get it. That's competitive baseball.

Everybody tells us we had a great first year, but nobody ever remembers who finished second. It's tough to get that close and lose.

Neil Olson  
President, Mill City Team

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the Opinion Page of the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

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We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, or letters to third parties, or letters which endorse products, or letters which are unsigned. These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

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In cases where the writer chooses not to do so, the editor reserves the right to make the relationship known.

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When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

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### ASC

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port from minority shareholders, he said.

Also, in a report filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission this month, ASC gave Oak Hill the right to appoint a majority of ASC's board. Otten would continue as board chairman and chief executive officer.

Oak Hill now has the right to appoint six of the 11 directors. Otten can appoint two, down from four, King said. The remaining three directors are appointed jointly by Otten and Oak Hill.

When Oak Hill's investment in the company is repaid, King said, Otten's ownership stake would increase.

Newry-based ASC is one of the nation's largest ski resort operators.

Its resorts include Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA in Maine; Killington, Mount Snow and Sugarbush in Vermont; Attitash Bear Peak in New Hampshire; Steamboat in Colorado; the Canyons in Utah; and Heavenly on the Nevada-California border.



THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY ANCIENT ONES entertained and informed residents and visitors at Sudbury Canada Days. The Ancient Ones reenact the hardscrabble life of the Maine frontier during that century. Many members of the group are from the Augusta area, but Jim Rose of Bethel (kneeling) participates here as a Revolutionary War soldier. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

### Pond

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This research will also help predict the effects, if any, on the surrounding water.

#### Characteristics of the Pond Site

The pond site is on land being given to the town by Ernest and Alberta Angevine. The parcel straddles Chapman Brook.

The soil is washed gravel, with an ample supply of water flowing through it. Over the last year, a number of experts have looked at the site, and they all agree that it is an ideal site for such a pond, with two exceptions. The pond will not be able to be drained, and there is a layer of silt in the soil at about 12 to 14 feet.

The silt layer was deposited at the end of the last ice age. According to John Marchewka, of Marchewka Associates, it indicates that there was once a calm, quiet lake at the site.

The silt, composed of fine, clay-like particles, could become suspended in the water, making it cloudy. This is called turbidity. All the pond experts agreed that a good pond design and proper construction techniques, like pumping the water out of the pond as it is dug, will avoid problems with turbidity.

If it is necessary to dig into the silt layer during construction, the layer should be covered with a filtering fabric that will keep the fine silt particles out of the water.

While the pond will not be able to be drained, the washed gravel soil above and below the silt layer is an ideal filter. The ground water that will fill the pond is pure and clean.

There is a lot of water in the ground at the site. Even during severe drought conditions there should be enough water available to keep the pond clean for swimming.

The turnover rate of a pond is the rate at which the water is completely refreshed. This is important in keeping a pond clean. According to the hydrogeology report, the pond would require about three months to refresh on its own. There are several methods that have been

recommended that can increase this rate to as much as once a week. These include bringing water in from the other nearby sources, pumping water out of the pond, or using spillway levels to control the water level.

At this point, there is great assurance from a number of pond experts that having water fit for swimming is not a problem.

#### Public Amenities

A recreational area like the proposed pond site needs other public amenities to be a pleasant place to spend time. These amenities might include things like a restroom and changing facilities, playground equipment, a bridge across Chapman Brook, a parking area, and picnic facilities.

The site was evaluated for a potential septic system, and found to be unsuitable by Darryl Brown of Mainland Consultants. Brown is designing a closed vault holding tank for the site as an alternative. Unlike an outhouse, this system uses water and regular toilets, has controlled flushes and bathroom sinks, and it doesn't have the smells associated with most vault facilities.

The nature of the recreational equipment at the site — be it swings, a waterslide, a gazebo for shade, or a horseshoe court — will be determined by the wishes of the residents of Bethel and the amount of space available.

The Beach Committee will hold public forums in the fall or early winter to learn the kinds of playthings residents want.

The bridge and parking requirements will be guided by laws, both state and local, that govern such things. Parking will be limited to the lot on the site, and not be allowed on the roadside due to the narrowness of the road.

#### The Permitting Process

The permits allowing construction will come from the Department of Environmental Protection and the Bethel Planning Board. The Beach Committee is currently

arranging a preliminary meeting with DEP officials to get the process underway. If a full permit review is required, it could take most of the winter.

The project will also have to go before the Planning Board for their approval under the site plan review ordinance.

Before actual construction begins, there will be a public hearing on the plan, which will also have to be approved by the Board of Selectmen.

#### Designing the Pond

The town has contracted with the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District to design the pond. Such agencies, formed in the 1930's during the dustbowl to dig farm ponds, have probably been involved with more pond constructions than any other state or federal agency or private company.

With the design criteria from residents, DEP, the Planning Board, and the Beach Committee, the conservation district engineers working on the project will develop the actual requirements for the pond. Their work will include the necessary documents to put the project out to bid.

The actual costs of the project cannot be determined at this point. Without a final design in hand, no one will put a price tag on the project. Unknown variables such as the number of pumps required for dewatering, construction requirements from DEP and the Planning Board, and the recreational wishes of town residents may also have a big impact on the final price tag.

Bethel voters approved \$75,000 for construction at the last annual Town Meeting. The town has also been offered \$50,000 from the Chadbourne Foundation. If the construction costs exceed that amount, Beach Committee members hope to make up the difference in pledges. As a last resort, they would return to Town Meeting for additional funds.

(The writer is a member of the Bethel Beach Committee.)

## Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: Mark and Rex Thurston of Andover reopened the Swain mill in East Andover doing business as M R Dowel.

John and Dale Cheney of Amesbury, Mass. were the new owners of the Norseman Inn in Mayville.

Sylvain Barrette of Cobscok, Quebec was trapped in the cab of his truck for over an hour following an early morning turnover on Route 26 in Newry. He was extricated and taken to the Rumford Community Hospital, treated for leg and facial injuries and released.

The Bethel Planning Board signed the site plan review application for the Twitchell Brook Mall project on Route 2.

Births: Celeste Tanya Gaudreau, Jared Sean Deanis, Evan Wiñsor Boelsma.

Deaths: Weldon I. Wing, Myia O. Jordan, Norma B. Tyler, Nancy L. Brindley.

20 years ago: A crowd estimated at over 1,000 gathered along Route 26 in Newry near the Raymond C. Foster School (now the Newry Town Office) for the parade kicking off the town's 175th anniversary celebration.

Residents of Bethel's Steam Mill area (Skillington) were inquiring of the Bethel Water District as to the possibility of the public water system being extended to their neighborhood.

In a doubles tennis tournament the men winners were Skip and Peter Chandler, with Jim Tartre of Portland and Ray Tartre of Auburn as runners-up. In the women's competition, winners were Lynda Chandler and Melissa Currier, with Pat Hudson and Barbara James as runners-up.

Births: Melanie Anne Morton, Randall Edward Gross.

Deaths: Edna A. Jackson, Stella M. Sweeney, Bertha McDowell, Peter Hoyt.

30 years ago: Mr. and Mrs. Win Howe celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with an out-of-door open house at their home in Hanover. Over 80 friends and relatives attended. (Former Bethel residents, their home was on property of what is now Brown's Mobil at the junction of Routes 5 and 2. Their former home was moved on the lot to become a part of the service station; another house on the property was removed to a location easterly of Breaux's Dairy Shop.)

Kenneth Feener of Andover was named by the Oxford County Republican Committee to replace Gilbert Stevens of Paris as a candidate for Oxford County register of deeds (eastern district). Mr. Stevens had resigned after being a candidate in the June primary election.

Births: Sherie Lee Doonen, Wayne Richard Wardwell.

Deaths: Freemont E. Marshall.

40 years ago: The graduating class of the Central Maine General Hospital School of Nursing honored Mrs. Lillian Coburn Mason by dedicating their yearbook to her. Mrs. Mason had been at CMG four years as student instructor in the operating room.

Gould Academy was one of 38 secondary schools in Maine to receive a top rating of "accredited" by the State Department of Education. The Gould accreditation was for 10 years; all of the other schools were for five years except one.

Birth: Ann Marie Roy.

Deaths: James M. Hutchinson, Ida M. Blake, Melvin A. Jodrey, John H. Carter.

50 years ago: Roland Annis of Gilead injured his leg and ankle when he jumped from a motor car as it was meeting a special train between Gilead and Shelburne, N.H. The other three members of the crew were uninjured in their jumps.

Fire caused damage estimated at \$10,000 to the summer home of Mrs. Albina Rowland of New York on an island in Lake Christopher, Woodstock.

Gerard Construction Co. of Auburn with a low bid of \$135,273.14 was awarded the contract to build the new Bethel elementary school (the original portion of Crescent Park School).

A strike, which began on Aug. 6, continued by the drivers of Maine Central bus lines even after a two-hour parley with a federal conciliator.

Deaths: Effie B. Merrill, Frank C. King.

100 years ago: The Rev. Arthur Shirley preached at the Congregational Church in the absence of the regular pastor, the Rev. Arthur Valley.

The Congregational Church held its annual fair. Deer were visiting crops on the East Bethel intervals.

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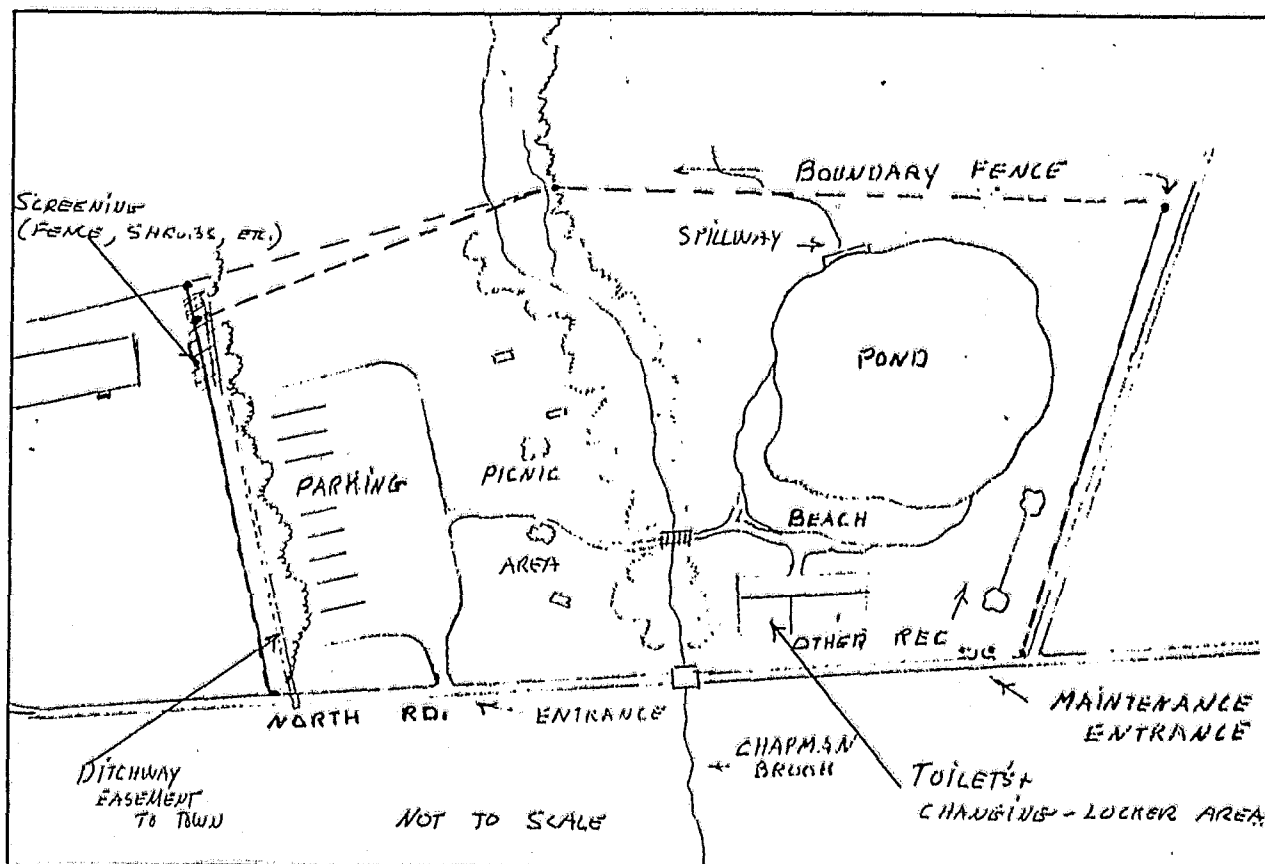
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A PRELIMINARY SKETCH of how the swimming pond and recreation area might be laid out. Beach Committee Chairman Don Bennett, who drew the sketch, emphasized that the key word is "preliminary." The process of determining exactly what will be at the site and where will be an ongoing one, he said, with ample opportunities for all Bethel residents to make their own thoughts known.

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## Briefly

### Woodstock, Greenwood mil rates

**WOODSTOCK/GREENWOOD**—Woodstock selectmen Tuesday set the mil rate at \$13.78 per thousand, up slightly from last year's 13.65. Tax bills are expected to go out Friday. The tax rate is based on a total property valuation of \$64,436,986 and a budget of \$1,340,098. The town will have an overlay of \$1,244.74. Also on Tuesday, Greenwood selectmen set that town's mil rate at \$16.50 per thousand, down from last year's \$16.60.

### E-mail mystery

**NEWRY**—Newry resident/selectman Steve Wight has been receiving what he terms some "hate e-mail" recently from "freemason@cannabismail.com" and "agent moretea@neveroddevenfamily@hotmail.com". "I sense that the author may be the same individual who is responsible for much of the graffiti that has recently appeared on the (Artists') covered bridge. I would appreciate hearing from anyone who has any information."

### SAD44 appointments

**WOODSTOCK**—The SAD44 School Board made the following personnel appointments at their regular meeting Monday: Patty Brown, secretary at the Andover School; Sherry Wentworth, Grade One teacher at the Woodstock School; Lisa Haines, part-time Grade One teacher at the Woodstock School; Cynthia Worcester, elementary art teacher; Jill Nowak, Telstar music teacher; Karen DeCarolis, Grade One teacher at Crescent Park School; Joanne Gilbert, custodian at Telstar.

### Newell honored at Sea Dogs game

**PORTLAND**—Charlie Newell of Locke Mills was one of the guests of the Maine Sunday Telegram at the Portland Sea Dogs' game Aug. 6. The occasion honored the top 20 Maine sports achievements of the 20th century, featured last winter in the Telegram. The University of Maine baseball team's first-ever appearance at the College World Series in 1964 made the list. Newell was a pitcher for the team. Six members of the 1964 team were in attendance at the Sea Dogs' game, along with University of Maine players from later College World Series teams. Other honorees included Joey Gamache, Joan Benoit Samuelson, Cindy Blodgett, Dick McPherson and members of hockey and basketball teams of note.

### Wal-Mart coming to Mexico

**MEXICO**—Wal-Mart will build a supercenter on Route 2 in Mexico, it was announced Monday. The 107,000-square-foot store will be built on 13 acres of property formerly owned by the Chadbourne family. The store is expected to generate 200 jobs, including 140 full-time positions that will include benefits. It is expected to open in the fall of 2001.

### Air quality problem at dispatch?

**PARIS**—Dispatchers at the new Oxford County dispatching center have been experiencing respiratory problems, leading officials to wonder if the center has ventilation problems. Dan Schorr, emergency management officer, said two dispatchers regularly get laryngitis, and he himself had suffered from bronchitis this past winter. County commissioners agreed to have Schorr research the cost to conduct an air quality study, at the building, which was built last year.

### Old Home Day in Albany

**ALBANY**—The second annual Old Home Day, sponsored by the Albany Congregational Church, will take place Sunday, Aug. 20. After the regular church service at 9:30 a.m., there will be social time for all, with activities and games for children and adults. A buffet luncheon will be served at noon, followed at 1 p.m. by a hymn sing.

### Trappers Weekend

**BETHEL**—The 24th annual New England Trappers Weekend will take place Aug. 25-27 at Neil Olson's on the East Bethel Road. Events will include a bear trapping demonstration, coon dog trials, kids' fishing competition and jeeps' obstacle course.

### Old house needs to move

**WEST PARIS**—A West Paris house described by Randy Bennett in his Oxford County architecture guide as "possibly the finest two-story Federal style house in the town" is being offered for sale — if the purchaser will move it. The Ebenezer Drake house, located on Route 26 just north of Trap Corner, was built in 1819. Current owners Sandra and Ken Poland want to build a storage facility on the property where the house stands. The Polands are hoping for offers in the \$25,000 to \$35,000 range. With the price to move the structure included, Ken Poland estimates the total cost could be \$75,000-\$100,000.

### New fall soccer program

**BETHEL**—A fall soccer program, sponsored by the Bethel Recreation Committee will begin Sept. 16 and run for seven Saturdays. Each session will last from 9-10:30 a.m. The cost is \$16 per child (includes a soccer ball and T-shirt). The coach will be Kara Siekman. Registration is at the Town Office.

### Duck blind reservations

**ERROL, N.H.**—The Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge is taking reservations for its permanent public duck blinds for the upcoming waterfowl hunting season. Four blinds are currently available in the areas of Leonard Pond, Leonard Marsh and Sweet Meadows. Reservations are free and may be made for up to a week in length, running Monday through Sunday. Reservations for additional weeks may be made up to one week in advance on a space-available basis. No other permanent blinds are permitted on the refuge. Temporary blinds, boats and decoys must be removed from the refuge following each day's hunt. For information or reservations call (603) 482-3415.

### Motor coaches coming

**BRUNSWICK**—People who think traffic is bad on a normal summer day in southern Maine haven't seen anything yet. Thousands of mammoth motor coaches began converging on the Naval Air Station in Brunswick Monday for the 37th annual Family Motor Coach Association Convention, and Maine State Police warn they'll clog the roadways on the way. More than 6,000 coaches are expected at the event Aug. 18-20. The Brunswick area will be the hardest hit, but state police have issued a traffic warning, saying there likely will be congestion on many major roads throughout the state.

### Large-scale frog, tadpole deaths

**BANGOR**—Over the past two weeks, Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife biologists have observed large numbers of tadpole and bullfrog deaths in five ponds and lakes in Penobscot, Piscataquis and Washington counties. Three of the reports indicate a large-scale mortality, with camp owners raking hundreds of dead tadpoles and frogs from their shoreline frontage. No observations of dead fish or mammals have been reported, suggesting the deaths are probably not due to low oxygen levels in the water or toxic spills, but something affecting only amphibians. IFW biologists believe the close proximity in both distance and time of the multiple deaths is suggestive of an infectious disease outbreak specific to frogs and toads. Specimens have been sent to a lab in Wisconsin for testing. Results are expected later in the fall. State biologists will continue to collect data. IFW is particularly interested in reports of similar large-scale deaths.

### From the Bethel Police Log:

#### Postal patron hit by cyclist

**At 4:35 p.m. on Aug. 8** police responded to Main Street to assist Bethel Rescue with a man who had been struck by a bike. The subject was struck while trying to leave the Post Office. When he opened the door he was hit by a cyclist who was riding up the wheelchair ramp. The cyclist was warned for operating his bike on the sidewalk.

**Monday, Aug. 7**

**At 4:25 p.m.** Keith Testani, 27, of Bethel was arrested for failure to appear.

**Friday, Aug. 11**

**At 12:56 a.m.** a subject was stopped on Spring Street for a stop sign violation. It was found he had alcohol in the vehicle. The alcohol was confiscated and Paul Newton, 19, of Buckfield was summonsed for illegal transportation.

**At 4:45 p.m.** police received a report of a traffic accident at the top of Main Street. On arrival the officer found a motorcyclist had lost control of his bike in the rain and laid it down on its side. The accident was nonreportable.

**Tuesday, Aug. 15**

**At 5:25 a.m.** police stopped a tractor trailer on Railroad Street for speeding (49 mph in a 30 mph zone). It was found the truck was unregistered since March. J. Raymond Desmarais, 62, was issued a summons for speeding and the truck company, R.D. Roy Transport of Auburn, was issued a summons for operation of an unregistered motor vehicle.

*This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.*

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## Bridge

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tempt to avoid responsibility for safety maintenance of any structures within its boundaries.

In their letter they suggest the town and the county compromise on the matter, by attempting to reach an agreement to share the cost of the bridge repairs.

If that is not possible — for example, if the county cannot legally spend money on structures in incorporated towns — then the Mason residents suggest the state Legislature be approached to move the Bethel/Mason line to the middle of the river, so that the bridge would indeed and finally become a shared town/county responsibility.

Bethel Town Manager Scott Cole said the selectmen will take the matter up again at their meeting Monday evening. At the town's

request, he said, MDOT has conducted a study of the bridge, looking at such issues as possible load limits and structural problems. The study is expected to be available later this week. "That should quantify exactly what we're dealing with," Cole said.

Ironically, he said, most similar small bridges throughout the state are maintained by MDOT. "Apparently there was a window in the 1980s during which towns could transfer such bridges into the state's inventory," Cole said, "but Bethel missed it."

The cost for repairing the bridge is estimated to range from \$10,000, to replace the wooden decking, or up to \$17,000, for steel decking. Bringing the bridge up to "engineered standards" would cost an estimated \$300,000 to \$500,000.

## Telstar

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pipe insulation, is a painstaking process. It began in part during the past school year, while students were on winter and spring vacation. The majority of the work has taken place this summer, with sections of the school sealed off as the project progressed.

### Gym floor soaked

School officials had an added headache to deal with last week, when water from heavy rains leaked through the roof over the gymnasium. It soaked the floor over an area of "a couple hundred square feet," according to Bruce Powell, the district's business manager.

Two weeks earlier, Industrial Roofing Co. had done repair work on the roof. "The contractor has acknowledged they have responsibility," Rosberg told the board.

The water was quickly mopped up, Powell said, and Industrial Roofing immediately came back

and patched the roof. The floor will now be allowed to dry thoroughly — a process that takes several weeks. If permanent warping has occurred, the floor might have to be sanded and refinished, Powell said. It's unlikely any portion would have to be replaced, he said. Any repairs would be borne by Industrial Roofing, according to the officials.

Rosberg said the company has done roof work for the district before, at the Andover and Woodstock elementary schools. That work has been of good quality, he said.

Waiting for the floor to dry should not affect use of the gym. "It can be used," Powell said.

Most of the floor is original, put in when the complex was built in the late 1960s. One portion was replaced in 1974 when ground water seepage damaged it, according to longtime director John Brown.

## Woodstock

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The selectmen were reluctant to leave the Harbor Road job unfinished. They also wanted to complete the Dudley Road work, because Central Maine Power has agreed to pay \$2,000 toward that project.

The road was damaged in the course of work done by CMP to expand its nearby transmission line.

The selectmen decided to postpone paving the Felt Road until next year, and to ask townspeople to transfer a total of \$7,500 to pay the extra on the current bill and cover the remaining work on the Harbor and Dudley roads.

They are proposing to allocate \$4,500 originally designated to rebuild another section of the Cushman Road and \$3,000 from the Summer Roads account to cover

the costs.

Currier was also directed to obtain bids for the remaining paving work from four other paving companies.

The special meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Sept. 5.

Because of the erroneous estimate, the selectmen authorized Maxfield to try to "negotiate" the bill with Commercial Paving.

In other business, selectmen approved the sale of a used paver to Everett Hatstat of Bethel, for a bid of \$2,885.

Maxfield told the selectmen Woodstock received a check for \$655 from the town's Workmen's Compensation insurance, because of the employees' good work record.

## Cemetery

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### LANDSCAPED CEMETERY

Above: Terracing is visible beyond the two maple trees that will likely remain at Woodland. Left: a gravestone in the form of a stump, symbolic of a life cut off in its prime — at 16 years of age. Below: gravestone of Ernest Martin Skinner, the famous organ maker. (Photos by Alison Aloisia)



Ernest Skinner.

Edward's family contributed a monument and burial plot in the cemetery for other Civil War veterans who could not afford one themselves, Howe said.

Also located in Woodland is the grave of Joseph Twitchell, who according to the headstone, was the first white male child born in Bethel, in 1782.

A unique feature of the cemetery, said Howe, is the presence of several headstones in the form of tree stumps — representing people "cut off in the middle of life," he said.

Howe estimates several hundred people are buried in Woodland.

### A social gathering place

In the 19th and early 20th century, said Howe, cemeteries like Woodland "were places where families had picnics," where they could visit deceased relatives.

"People were more accustomed to going to cemeteries," he said. "They were thought of as nice places."

In spite of that, interest in maintaining the cemetery ebbed and flowed during that same period, he said. As a result, trees planted early in the cemetery's history, he said, "have gotten out of hand."

Sexton Emerson Clough can attest to that. Together with Howard Crockett, Clough has been cutting down the evergreen trees, some of which are rotten. Several other trees have blown down, nearly hitting gravestones.

"If one of these trees falls over, it would break the stones, and they'd never be able to replace them," said Clough.

The damp shade of the pines also contributes to the growth of fungus on the stones, he said. Howe said the acidic soil under the pines can damage the marble gravestones.

The threat of falling trees and the general difficulty and cost of cemetery upkeep beneath the trees led to the decision to cut them, Howe said. The row of pines along the road will also be cut.

Two large maples, located near the middle of the cemetery, will stay if it can be determined they are healthy and not a threat to fall over.

Clough and Crockett have also cleared bushes that had overgrown the stones, repaired damaged and broken stones and shored up stones that had started sinking into the graves. One stone had sunk two-thirds of its height into the ground.

Several stones have been cleaned, bringing them back to their original white color. That work will also continue.

The men have also been spreading lime to counter the acidic effect of the pines, and planted grass seed. The grass is now starting to come back, said Howe.

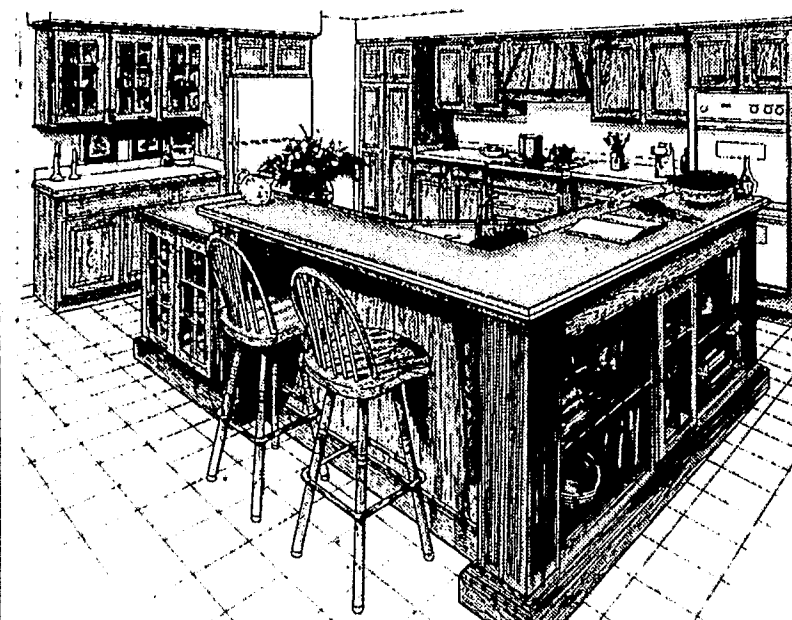
"It's looking like a cemetery rather than a wilderness," he said. He credits Clough and Crockett for the large amount of time they have contributed to the cemetery work.

Each year, more shrubs and plants will be set out, Howe said. None will be of a variety that will grow over six feet.

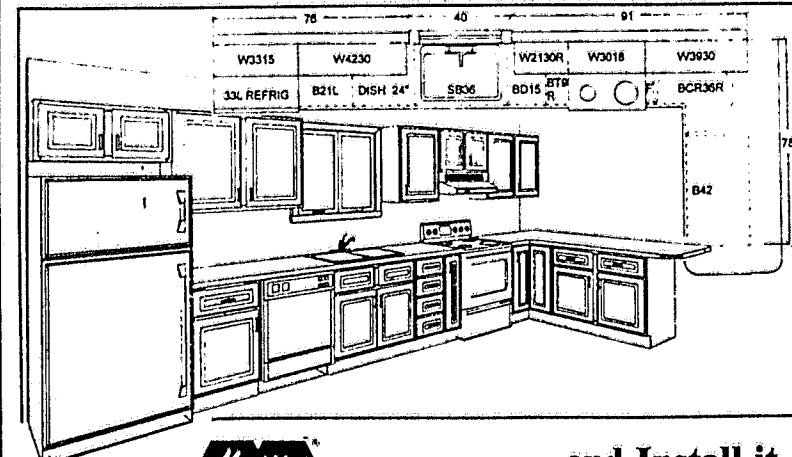
He hopes people will see the work as a long-term project.

"I was kind of shocked to get rid of all the trees," he admits. "I've heard some negative comments. But I think more people think it's a good thing."

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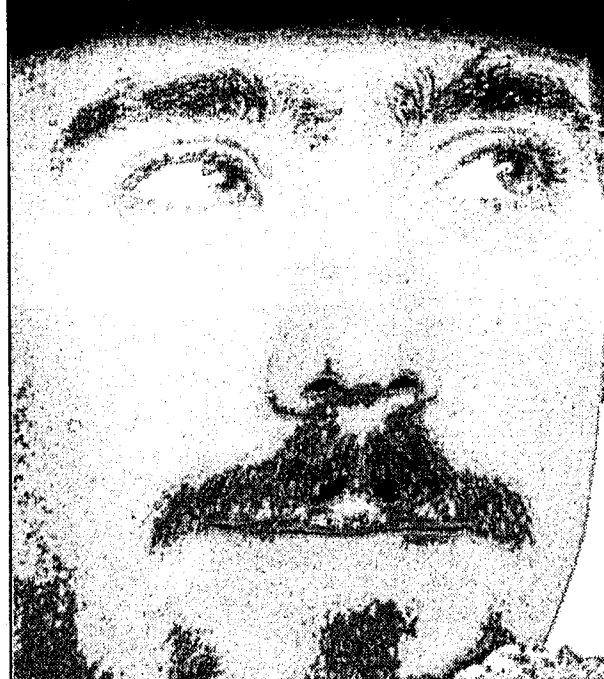
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## Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Ted Chadbourne is recovering from viral pneumonia at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Bina Gorham of Gorham, N.H., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frazer and Doris Frazer to the Memorial Service for the late Alan Frazer at the Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House on Broad Street, which was conducted by Ben Conant of South Paris.

Twins Sydney and Holly Robinson of New York are spending time with their grandparents, Rachel and Blake MacKay, this week. Brothers Patrick and Alex Robinson are visiting their Aunt Susan Parker and family.

Leland and Barbara Brown, Karen, Bernard Alex, Josh Mohr of Portland, Jeff and Peggy Brown of East Longmeadow, Mass., spent the weekend at Kennebunk.

On Friday, Leland and Barbara Brown and Karen Brown Mohr attended a reception for Senator Olympia Snowe hosted by former President George Bush and wife Barbara at Kennebunk.

Kate Nickerson of Auburn was an overnight guest of her parents, George and Danna Nickerson. Rachel McKnight and daughters Shelby from New York and Josie from Jericho, Vt., were overnight guests of Bob and Ginny Keniston on Monday and attended a bridal shower for Karole-ann Bean in Norway at Jodi Keniston's that same day. Becky Shaw and Ginny Keniston attended the shower.

Recent visitors of Hi and Mary Lou Berry at Lone Pine have been Claire Berry Cantrell of Georgia, Mary Lou and Roger Killelea of Walpole, Mass., Judy Costa and Cindy Freeman, Ruth Kenney of Connecticut, Glen and Lil McAllister of Rhode Island.

Rob Cope, Gould Academy '70, of Salt Lake City, Utah and his daughter, Bethel, a teacher in Los Angeles visited with Bob and Polly Davis on Monday and enjoyed a grand tour of the Gould Academy campus. This was the first time Bethel had seen her namesake.

Mary Lou and Hi Berry attended the Eames Reunion at the Everett Eames' lodge on Umbagog Lake. A great time was had by all.

### The Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings  
Josie and Marjorie Lougee and friends, Regina and Shelly, took Rebecca Ricker out to a belated birthday dinner at a Chinese restaurant in Norway and then they went to Bob's Discount, and Regina bought Becky some household items. Josie and Regina bought her a bird. They were for Becky's

birthday. The folks were all from Rochester, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Hanscom and Tyler of North Conway, N.H. visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom of Walkers Mills recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Prentiss of Bridgton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Drew Webster on Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Seckinger, Ethan and Jedd of Cherry Hill, N.J. spent a week recently with John Kallis at his home on Songo Pond. They visited with folks in the area and also did some fishing.

On Wednesday, they took Ruth Cummings out to dinner at Shaner's in South Paris as a belated birthday gift. Joyce stopped by to see Ruth Cummings again on Friday.

Rebecca Ricker has been to Lewiston twice recently to see Mildred Newell once with Beverly, Mildred's daughter, and another time with Beatrice Smith.

Stephanie Bragdon and sons Matthew and Mitchell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom Jr., recently.

Bruce Cummings has returned to Anchorage, Alaska after spending a month with Sonny and Nancy Cummings. Raymond Buker returned with him to spend a couple of weeks.

Irene Standish of Florida is visiting with her mother, Olive Williams, at the Bethel House.

Not as many as usual were at the Bethel Alliance Church on Sunday, as some are on vacation and some of the ladies had also gone to the coast for the weekend.

A picnic was enjoyed at the Bethel Alliance Church on the 6th instead of the usual dinners for eight.

Pastor Rick's message was "Holy Communion: What is it all About." Pastor played his guitar along with Judy Webster on piano and Peggy Mowery on flute for the choruses.

Eva Lane's granddaughter took her to her eye doctor recently.

My sister-in-law, Ruth Soroftman, is in Maine from Georgia and staying with Sonny and Nancy Cummings, and she visited with me on Monday and we had lunch together and played three games of cribbage. We had each won a game and then in the last one we each had our peg in the dead hole. I was lucky enough to get the first chance to peg out. The other two games were very close.

Vada spent the day with me Tuesday. We played 18 games of cribbage and each won nine games, so I am still just five games ahead. We each skunked the other one once. Now we have played 391 games this year.



**SERVICE AWARD WINNER**  
Burnie Rice, who serves as building, grounds and transportation supervisor for SAD44, received the 2000 Vocational Service Award for Non-Rotarians from the Bethel Rotary Club. The award is given to community members who positively affect a large portion of the community through their jobs, and exemplify the Rotary ideals of truth, fairness, goodwill and working to benefit all. Rice (right) is shown here with Rotary vocational committee chairman Mike Stevens.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Vada went with me over to Gail and Heidi's and Gail cut my hair.

We went to Frozen Logger at noon, and thanks to R and G we had a free meal because they had given me a gift certificate as a birthday gift. Thanks a lot R and G.

We went to Rebel at night for a sandwich.

## East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. Don't forget the Turkey Supper at the Stoneham Church on Aug. 17, 5 to 6:30 p.m. It's always a good one.

This week our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Iva Fox, who recently passed away. She certainly enjoyed her family and friends. She will be missed by many.

The August meeting of the Oxford County Republicans is scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 22, at the fairgrounds in Fryeburg. A 5:30 p.m. social hour is to be followed at 6:30 p.m. by a potluck dinner. There will be a speaker. All Oxford County Republicans are invited to attend. This is always a good one.

Thelma Dadmun is at home now after being away to Maryland for a few days.

Church services are being held for the month of August in North Waterford. The minister last Sunday was the Rev. Diane Wood, with special music by Rich Wood. Ministers on call are the Rev.

Ronald Ashworth at 562-8487 and the Revs. Brendon and Jean Bass at 824-2653. The mailing address for the Rev. Janice Wilcox is 16 Cleveland Avenue, Worcester, MA 01603.

Congratulations are going out to Jesse Adams and Becky Gicker on their upcoming marriage, which will take place on Aug. 19.

On Sunday, Aug. 20 at 10 a.m. the Rev. Earl Bell will be preaching at the North Waterford Church. On Aug. 20, also, there will be a hymn sing and ice cream social at 7 p.m. at the East Stoneham Church, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Engdahl. Tuesday, Aug. 22, there will be a public supper from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the North Waterford Church vestry. On Aug. 26, there will be a Thrift/Bake Sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at East Stoneham Church vestry. Also on Saturday, Aug. 26, a benefit supper for Eric Bernier and family will be held at the North Waterford Church vestry.

I can't think of any other news so will stop and get this in the mail.

## East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Alder River Grange will have a Yard Sale and Public Supper on Aug. 19. The yard sale will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the BBQ chicken supper will start at 5 p.m. Cost for the supper will be \$5 and for children under 13, \$3. Grange members will meet at the hall on

Aug. 18 around 6 p.m. to set up for the sale.

Florence Hastings will celebrate her birthday on Aug. 26. The family had a big party for her on Aug. 12. All her children were there and most of the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. The main meal was bean hole beans with a huge birthday cake. Jack and Lucy Nordahl and Richard and Pat Kimball attended.

The sunset on Aug. 13 was a bright pink. I hope we have some sunshine soon as I am a little tired of rain and gray skies.

## South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing

Sorry there wasn't any news last week. I had a bout with the flu. It has hung on longer than I expected.

Last Sunday, we traveled to Bridgton to help celebrate Sally Wing's birthday with a cookout. Sally turned the big "40" this year. Phelps and Joan Poland's family has all returned safely from attending the wedding of Jo-Anna to Scott Southard. The wedding was held in Florida and everything went along as planned.

Frank Frazer and Harry Hutchinson made dooryard calls to Richard Wing this past weekend. Frank and Harry hadn't met before, even though they are close neighbors to each other.

Kellie and Brad Record have

been spending a week at the coast. They stay in the area near where Carol and Neal Hall are. Neal hasn't been feeling very well. We hope he gets better soon.

Carol Stowell, who was in a bad accident this spring, is either home by now or is returning home soon, I heard. She has been a long time recuperating and hopefully when she gets home she'll come along faster. We wish her the best.

Many in this area will be attending the wedding of Heath Poland and Tori Young this Saturday. We wish them a long and happy life.

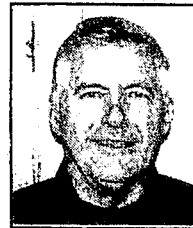
Murrill and Elizabeth Blazier's son and his children have been spending some time with them this summer.

Kudos to the Town of Woodstock or any others who helped fix up the roadside spring on Route 26 in Woodstock. The spring is used by many persons in this area for drinking water and other uses and is now in very good working order and repair. It looks very good.

Larry Billings, curator of the Woodstock Historical Society, reports that History Day was a success. Many booths were set up as well as a flea market and food table. Tours were given and flowers decorated the museum. Donations came from Nadja Bolio and Ruth Cox. The Bonneys and Paul Billings were a big help. It has been a very busy summer for the society. History Day was exciting, thanks especially to those who set up booths as well as all the work of members. We also thank those who watched the museum on Saturdays and Mary Billings for opening and closing the building. It is interesting to note we had visitors from as far away as Washington, DC and Scotland.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that my idea of an agreeable person is a person who agrees with me."

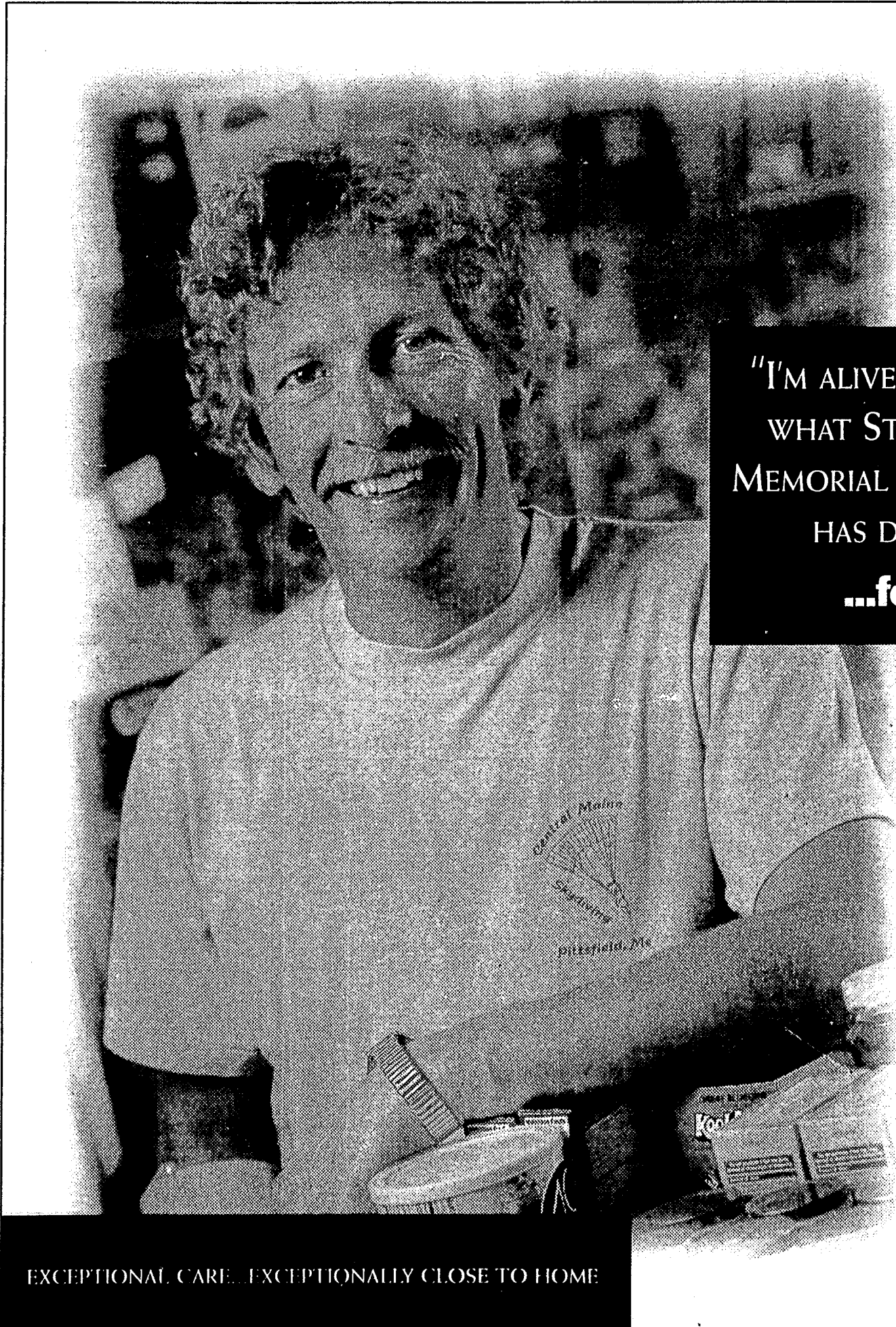
## Mason Township



by Richard Grover

I got the official final count for the Aug. 5 Grover reunion. There were 90 family and friends who showed up at some point between noon and 9 p.m. That doesn't include the dozens more who couldn't make it.

At the same time the big reunion was going on, my daughter, Cheryl, and her family spent four days with us. It was good to get them to Maine, because her husband hates our bugs. The visit started off on a sour note when I took them down to the swimming hole. First, five-



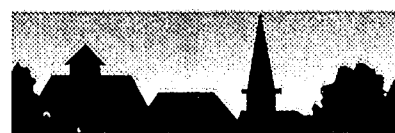
Robert 'Bo' Vaughn had no intention of becoming a hero when he walked into his wife's convenience store on October 12, 1999. But when he saw the teenage boy holding up the store at gunpoint, he just said "I'm not going to let this happen."

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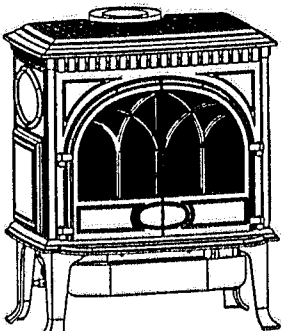
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year-old Jessica fell and skinned her knee on a rock. Then seven-year-old Jacob got too close to a hornets' nest and got stung multiple times. We finally overcame that tragedy by going to the pasture and feeding Hannah and Jelly, the cows. That was just about the kids' favorite activity for the trip; they all loved to pull a little clover or grass and hand it through the fence to Hannah, "the pig."

Not having young kids around all the time, I had forgotten how short an attention span they have, and how well they remembered things three years ago. Mona had bought a doll and some other do-dads before their last trip, and even at their young ages the older ones remembered every one; they wouldn't let us rest until we had found them all. Then, we'd no sooner return to the house from one outing, when they wanted to do something else: "Can we go out and set up the camper now? Can we have a campfire and cook marshmallows?" and so on.

And I've got to convince little two-year-old Jana to quit calling me "Grandma." I'm her only grandpa, and she doesn't see me nearly as often as she does her two grandmothers. She has a well-developed vocabulary except for that.

Last Thursday and Friday evening just before dark, Mona and I went walking. As we passed the pond at The Farm, we heard a cowbell coming from the direction of the blueberry bushes by the pond. Upon closer inspection, we spotted Rupert's hat moving among the bushes. When I asked how the picking was, he said he was hanging a noisemaker for the bears. Then, he said the bears had been in Dan's blueberry bushes right near the end of his house, and he didn't want them to get into his berries (He has a nice crop of beautiful, big blueberries.). Mona told me she'd like to come down some night after dark and ring the cowbells, but she's afraid she might get shot.

## Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson  
Diane and David Thurston visited Andy and me a couple times this week. It's always nice to see them. Diane's sister, Tammy, has come to visit for a few days. She lives down

south but likes to come to Maine for the Abbott reunion and to see her relatives.

I got a call from Gerry Shimamura Monday to let me know she had returned home from her trip. She and her cousins, Florence and Alma Merrill, took a week and toured Route 1 as far as Houlton. They planned to camp out but the weather did not cooperate. But they had fun visiting some tourist attractions when they were not driving. I was a bit envious because they got to go to the part of Route 1 Andy and I have not been, yet. We have done both ends but have not gotten to Eastport and Calais. We planned to go the summer of 1998, but my accident put the kibosh to that and then in 1999 Andy's cancer put aside any plans we had. We've both been sort of "under the weather" this summer. Hopefully we will get all this behind us at some point and feel like traveling again. The pessimist in me says, "Yeah and then the gasoline prices will be so high you can't go." Such is life.

Poor Jack still acts lost now that he no longer has Prince to keep him company. We have tried to keep him in more, because a couple times he went missing for several hours. We don't want him searching for Prince. No knowing where he'd go. So to help him in staying in I got a catnip toy. It is so funny to watch him clutch it and lay on it. Garbo has always played a lot with Jack so she thought he ought to share. He does share his rattling ball but the catnip toy was another story entirely. He batted at her and she hissed at him and I was prepared for a battle royal but Princess, who takes her job of keeping the cats in line very seriously, went right between them and that ended that. So far they go in different directions when she goes between them. If they ever realize that united they stand, Princess will be the one running in the opposite direction. I still remember how Aunt Amy's cats would band together and send a dog running. They were females with kittens and they brooked no nonsense. Nothing like a family to heighten those protective instincts.

Every now and then one gets hold of a book that is just plain fun to read. I've just gotten acquainted with "The Cat Who" series by Lillian Jackson Brown. She was, or is a pretty prolific writer, so I've been hard pressed to find some of them, but those I have read are de-

lightful. The library has quite a number and I've gotten a couple at book sales. My book club offers quite a few, but I figured out to get all I wanted it would mean an outlay of nearly a couple hundred dollars. I may like the books but I'm not foolish enough to spend that kind of money on books. I'll bet most of us don't give much thought to how much money our libraries have to spend every year to keep us entertained. They seem to keep their shelves pretty well supplied. Maybe we all ought to voice our appreciation more, not only for the books, tapes, etc. but for the very nice, helpful people who staff the libraries. Where would we be without them?

## North Newry



by Gil Seeley  
Claire and George Romano of Wiscasset treated Ras and Karlene

Bachelor, their mother and father, daughter Michelle and husband Paul Josephson and son Nik (four years old) and friend, Gil Seeley, to a joyful afternoon at the Hadlock Field in Portland to see a ball game between the Sea Dogs and the Trenton Thunder team on Sunday, Aug. 6. After, they all went to Cap'n Newick's Restaurant for a seafood feast to celebrate Ras' birthday, who will be 75 later in the month. There is much more to see at the games besides ball playing; there is a lot of cheering and singing, clowning and loads of good food to enjoy.

"Evening red and morning gray speed the traveler on his way. Evening gray and morning red bring down rain upon his head."

## Hanover



by Clem Worcester  
Rose and Melburn Hutchins of Top Hat Road found an

unexpected guest in their back yard recently. A bear had discovered their beehive. They said he looked like a child in his own personal candy store as he sat among several broken boxes and devoured all the honey he could reach. Shouts from



## 'Side by Side' in Rumford

Tony Scucci and Lorrie Ferrari, partners in song, have entertained professionally throughout Maine and New England for more than 11 years. The music they play is a refreshing mix of well-known pop/jazz, blues, folk, country — you name it. Their performances feature close harmonies, creative arrangements and enthusiasm to engage and entertain all ages. They'll be "travelin' along," and "singin' a song" as part of the Friday Night Concert Series at Rumford's Veterans Memorial Park on Friday, Aug. 18 at 7 p.m. In the event of rain, the concert will be moved to the Town Hall.

onlookers had no affect in moving the bear on his way, and he stayed where he was until darkness arrived, at which time he ambled off into the woods. During the night the bear, or some of his friends, returned and destroyed two more boxes in the hive, eating all the honey and the bees. A game warden was called, and he came the next day with a hunter and dogs in an attempt to drive the bear away. The warden referred to this region as prime bear country. Melburn

estimated the loss of his beehive at more than \$500.

Several others have reported seeing bears during the past several weeks. While walking through the woods near Brown Road, Betty Hayden and her yellow lab, Mitzi, encountered a bear. Mitzi thought he might be a good playmate, but the bear ran off.

The Howard Pond second annual Kayak Flotilla happened on Saturday, Aug. 5, on an unusually sunny morning. The theme for this year's

trip around the pond was "Funny Hats." There were 15 participants well decked out in a variety of headgear as the kayakers made their way from the dam along the shoreline until they again reached the dam. Judges selecting Funny Hat winners were John Hanawalt, impersonating Sailor Jack, and Marjorie Hanawalt, as Granny Sigafoos.

Funny Hat winners in the junior division were: first place, Sarah Moir with "Balloon Madness"; second place, Clark Reiner with "Weird Construction." Winners in the senior division were: first place, Frank and Marie Morrison with "Patriotic Pornography"; second place, Dr. Bob Reiner with "Royal Flush"; and third place, Bill and Mary Dunton with "WWI Helmets." Honorable mention went to Jim Moir, who went around the pond with a rooster on his head. (Has anyone heard from Howie lately?)

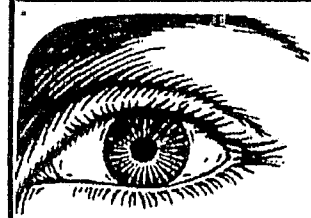
Recently, game wardens, police and fire department personnel were called to Ellis River Road where a man was thought to be missing. It was reported that as darkness and rain developed in the area the man was found. There were no reports of injuries.

Geoffrey S. Howe and Tammy J. Shejen were married in Hanover on Aug. 5. The wedding site was Woodsman Peak, the ledge overlooking that overlooks Howard Pond and the valley below. The bride in her wedding gown, the groom in a tuxedo, and the wedding party all climbed to the "Peak" for the 11:30 a.m. service. Both Mr. and Mrs. Howe are from North Berwick. This event may have been a first-timer, as no one can recall a wedding at that location.

Sympathy is extended to the Kohut and Ferguson families upon the loss of Margaret Ferguson Kohut of Dover, N.H., and Howard Pond. Margaret died Aug. 4, after a long battle with cancer. She was a friend to many.

The Howard Pond Camper's Association will hold its annual meeting and supper on Saturday, Aug. 19, at the Rumford Point Congregational Church. Members and their guests are invited to attend. Each member is asked to bring a main dish, a salad or a dessert to share with everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Revay, South Meriden, Conn., have been vacationing at a cottage on South Shore Road at Howard Pond.



# The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

The other day a friend of mine said he thought I was one of those "Women's libber" types. Can you imagine that? As well as being amused I was somewhat confused because I'm not exactly sure what he meant by "women's libber" type. If he means that I'm the type that thinks I'm just as good as he is, well he's right; I do think that and I am just as good as he is.

Several years ago when I lived in Boston and was innocent (about the ways of the world at least) I considered getting involved in the then popular Women's Movement, but I asked my husband and he said NO and that was the end of that. Since then I have considered myself a "domestic radical", but not a "women's libber."

As a "domestic radical" I don't do windows or at least not very

often and when I do I think it should be a family project. I mean, we all use the windows — right? Maybe that makes me a "women's libber", I'm not sure.

I also don't darn socks. For that matter I really don't sew any more than I absolutely have to either. This really isn't an act of protest as much as a lack of ability. Besides, if I wasn't the one to tear it, wear a hole in it or burst the seams, why should I be the one to mend it?

Just like my foremothers, I used to spend a lot of time baking beans and making bread for Saturday night dinner, but I stopped doing that a long time ago. The kids used to complain that I sliced the bread cockeyed and it made their sandwiches look funny and somebody said they preferred canned beans to the ones I slaved all day over. That's when I threw off my apron and baked beans no more.

I suppose some people might consider that to be the attitude of one of those "women's libber"

types, but I consider it being just plain fed up!

I do all of the other cooking in the home, but I don't do it because I think it's my job. I do it because I'm the only one who knows how and I like to eat. I always suspected that my husband had a better knowledge of culinary arts than he let on and I also suspect he always thought that cooking was women's work. Maybe he's one of those "male chauvinist" types, but I'm not exactly sure what that is either. I do know that if I don't cook he doesn't eat, so who's in charge there?

A long time ago when life was different, men went off to work and women stayed home and raised the kids and took care of the home. So much has changed through the years and women have fought hard for

equal rights and the opportunity to have a vital role in the work place. Now men go off to work and so do the women. Then the women come home to raise the kids and take care of the home. We've come a long way baby!

According to the last census, the "Leave it to Beaver" and the "Ozzie and Harriet" type families don't exist anymore. Isn't that a surprise! In these families of the 50's the all knowing sage of the family, Dad, went off to work, though I don't think anyone ever knew what Ward Cleaver or Ozzie Nelson did for a living. They must have been well paid at what ever it was because both families lived in very nice suburban homes and money never seemed to be an issue.

Anyway, Ward and Ozzie went off to work and June and Harriet stayed home cleaning their ovens in their satin dresses, pearls and high heels and always so nicely coiffured. They raised their children who never disobeyed, did their homework

with a little humorous badgering from Mom and were innocent of such modern words as drugs, sex and rock 'n' roll.

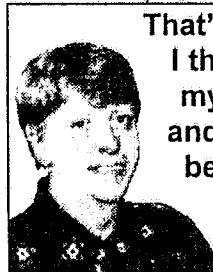
If these cute little kids of the 50's should get out of line by tracking dirt in the house or sneaking a cookie before dinner, Harriet and June could always get them back in line immediately with the terrifying threat of "Wait until your father gets home!"

When Ward and Ozzie came home from where ever it was they worked, they would sit in their favorite chair while June and Harriet fetched their slippers and newspaper and then Dad proceeded to bestow great words of wisdom on their children and right away wrongs that may have taken place in the course of the day.

Oh, those families of the 50's, they were wonderful. Successful wonderful husbands, obedient children and subservient wives. However, by the end of the show, June or Harriet had managed to turn the tables and make some kind of fool out of Ward or Ozzie. Maybe June and Harriet were closet "women's libber" types after all.

You can call me a "women's libber" if you want to, but I've never burned a bra, though most of mine should be burned. I've never marched down the street hurling insults at men; I usually do that in private. Nor do I think all men are scum, only certain ones.

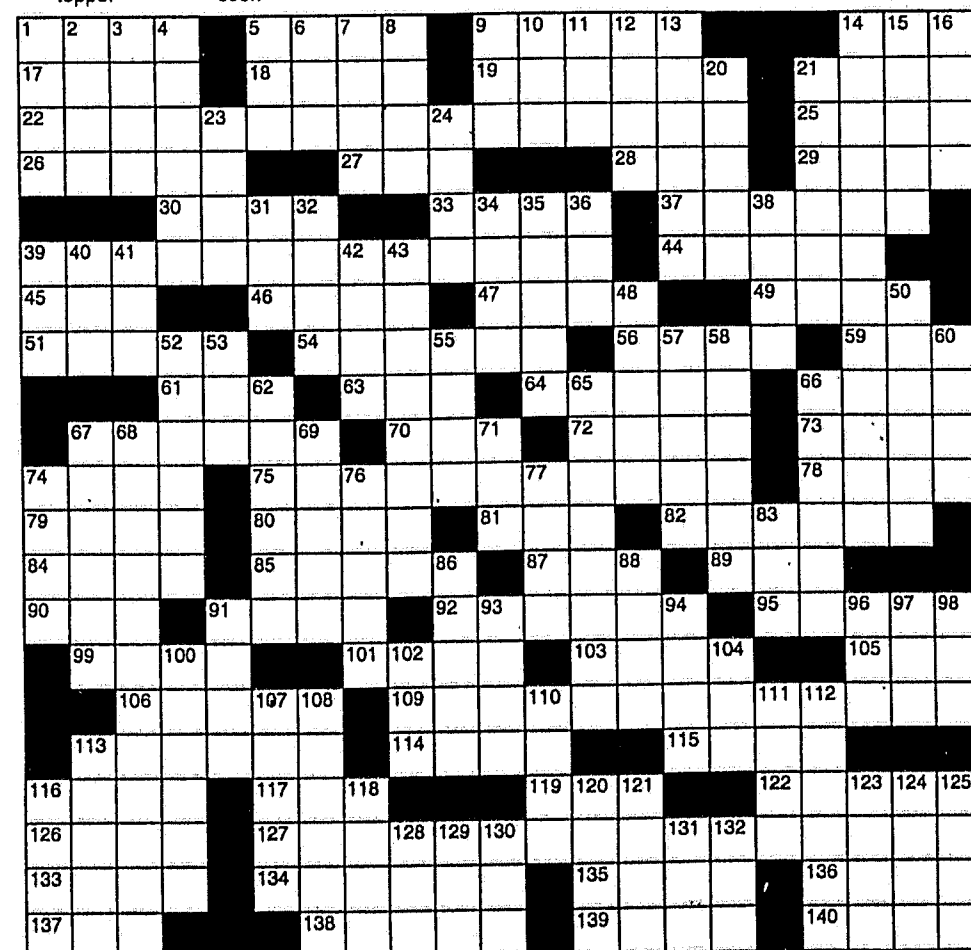
Male or female, we are all equal in the over all scheme of things. And we all have certain roles we play; men don't give birth and women don't mess around with remote controls. There are other things we can share responsibility of such as raising children and household chores. Things shouldn't be labeled or typed and there shouldn't be men's work or women's work, except maybe taking out the trash which the way I see it is men's work and that is why they were created in the first place.



That's when I threw off my apron and baked beans no more.

## Super Crossword

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| <b>ACROSS</b>                       | 51 Long-tailed parrot          | 92 Preposterous         | 3 "— Man" ('84 film)       | 40 Distinctive period        | 94 Pad                         |
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| 37 African antelopes                | 82 Physicist                   | 135 Heart burn?         | 24 Astrology term          | 71 Anacanda, for one         | 124 John of "Roots"            |
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Also vacationing at Howard Pond have been Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartlett and family from Burlington, Vt. While in the area the Bartletts visited with Robert's mother in Rumford.

### West Paris



by Bertha Benoit

Greetings folks. We'd better take advantage of each sunny day — to pick berries, work in the garden, harvest hay or work on the winter's wood. Fall is fast approaching and you know what creeps in right after that. School starts in most schools the last week of August. Better take advantage of all the sales this week for school supplies, shoes and clothing and also our local thrift shops. They really have some pretty good buys if you check them out carefully.

Congratulations to Earl and Amy Andrews, master and secretary of West Paris Grange 298, on their 50th wedding anniversary. Their children gave them an open house party on Sunday, Aug. 13, from 1 to 4 p.m. at their home on Allen Hill Road in Oxford.

I am proud of the 44 young people who came out for the Daily Vacation Bible School at West Paris last week. They did a very good job. Congratulations and also many thanks for the adults who gave of their time and talents to make this a real success. We're looking forward to next year's Bible School already.

See you all next week.

### Andover



by Joan Stinson Carney

First the good news. Phyllis and Leon Simmons are new grandparents. Brianna Spaulding, daughter of Brian and Shelly Spaulding of Lincoln was born on July 21, 2000. She weighed in at an amazing 10 pounds, 3 ounces. She is also the latest great-granddaughter of Natalie Littlehale of Andover.

Double your pleasure? Sadie Irene Standeven and Corbin Reed Standeven were born on Aug. 2, 2000. They're proud and by now exhausted parents are Christie Pingree and Jason Standeven. Maternal grandparents are Tammy Davis of Bryant Pond and Art Pingree of Rumford. Paternal grandparents are Sandy and Randy Standeven of East Andover. Great-grandmother is Jane Reed of East Andover.

The Dial-A-Story continues. Just call 392-3032 to hear two new stories — "Sammy's Big Day" by Will Carver and "Once There was a Boy" by Shawn Hunt read by Natalie Timberlake. If you would like more info about this really great series, call Ms. Timberlake at 824-2234.

Speaking of stories, the Andover Public Library now has the Latin edition of "The Cat in the Hat" by that doctor fellow. It's cool to compare the Latin version to the English one. Another book that is going to be a big hit is "Chicken Poop for the Soul." No, I didn't goof in my spelling. I am so sick of all those wacky, smarmy, let's-all-feel-better books that this one is a real hit with me.

I heard a song this morning and some of the words in the chorus were, "if we couldn't laugh, we'd

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### Comedy at Celebration Barn

Master clowns Avner Eisenberg and Julie Goell will host a Friday night "Barn Show" at Celebration Barn Theater in South Paris on Friday, Aug. 18. The performance begins at 8 p.m.; doors open at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$8 and \$5. Reservations are required and may be made by calling the Celebration Barn box office at 743-8452. Celebration Barn is located at 190 Stock Farm Road, just off Route 117, in South Paris.

Celebration Barn, an international school for the performing arts, opens its doors to the public every Friday night for shows featuring new work by its top students. This Friday's "Barn Show" is hosted by Avner Eisenberg and Julie Goell, with innovative performances by their students in the Clown!!! Workshop. Whether clever or brutal, witty or silent, silly or poignant, this evening of ingenious clowning is, above all, funny.

Avner Eisenberg and Julie Goell both tour internationally with their highly acclaimed one-person shows, "Avner the Eccentric," "Woman in a Suitcase" and "Opening Night." Adjunct professors at the University of Southern Maine, they have been teaching their unique approach to comedy at Celebration Barn over the last 10 years.

go crazy," or words to that effect. I try to put some humor in my column and really, really try not to hurt anybody with what I write. Remember last week's word, precarious? Well I did it, put myself in a precarious situation. What I wrote about Norma Farrington and all her company is how I would feel if I were happening to me, not, and I repeat not, how she feels. She is not running away from home, she is not going to take that seminar; in fact she came after me with a rolled-up edition of last week's Bethel Citizen and if my mother and her mother hadn't been present, I think she would probably have hit me with it. She is my oldest cousin, the one who took me to the library for the first time, and the one who used to tell me wonderful stories when I was young, and I wouldn't want anything I write about her to be misconstrued by her present and future company. In fact, I may go down and stay for a while between visitors so she won't be lonesome. She is still in trouble over that bathroom picture though.

I had two lists of people who had visited residents over Old Home Days, and I'm sorry to say that I went off and left them home. I promise they will be in next week's column. Speaking of visitors, Leon Littlehale and his daughter, Natalie, from Marietta, Pa., were in town recently visiting with family and friends.

The Andover Water District needs someone to step forward and be the new director. You must be a resident of Andover and be a member of the water district. This is a chance for someone to help make things better for the town. FMI you can call the Andover Town Office at 392-3302 during regular business hours, or leave a message and we will get back to you.

Yesterday, I had to go and say goodbye to an old friend. This seems to be getting to be a habit, and I don't like it one bit. During my school years, one of my best friends was June Farrington. We spent a lot of time together and I was always a little jealous because she had older sisters and brothers, and I always wanted that. Her mother, Lila, was always there every time I went to their house, always busy, always ready to set another place at the table, play a song on the roller piano they had in the back room, or give us words of wisdom. I loved sleeping over. There would be at least three of us in one bed, and I don't remember sleeping very much. Lila didn't have a very easy life. She had nine children, losing a daughter, Gloria to diphtheria, but she managed to keep her children fed, clean and happy, and did all this with very little money. It's funny, we were all in the same boat but I can't re-

member ever feeling poor or going without, but when I look back on what my mother, my aunts, and the mothers of my friends did when we were growing up, I am astounded at what they accomplished. Lila raised eight children; all of them became a credit to her in their adult lives. After my return to Andover, I joined the East Andover Community Club and got to know her as adult to adult, and I loved her. She was always cheerful, always had a joke, and one special year she was my "Mystery Sister," and I was hers. My friend Lila died on Aug. 12. She was a wonderful mother, grandmother, and friend. She did no harm, and she will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Again, this week's word is sorrow.

### Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Remember the Whitman Memorial Library will have a Book and Bake Sale on

Aug. 18, starting at 9 a.m. The same evening at 6:30 p.m. there will be a Magic Show by B.J. Hickman sponsored by the library. A reception will follow. Come see the renovations and enjoy a nice, relaxing atmosphere. Books to sell are hardback, paperback, children's, adult's, old, new, and encyclopedia sets. The Magic Show will be the story hour for August.

Patch the Pirate Club meets each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m., same time as prayer meeting, at the Baptist Church. Sunday services are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning service at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 4:45 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday evening, Aug. 7, with 38 present. A 6 p.m. supper was held, as it was Gentlemen's Night. Officers were as follows: master, Wendall Easter; overseer, Earl Andrews; lecturer, Richard Felt; steward, George Gibbs; assistant steward, Ronald Easter; ladies assistant

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The program went as follows: opening thought, Lucille Robbins; opening song, "In the Good Old Summertime"; Lewis Woodworth sang, "How Great Thou Art" and "Whispering Hope" and Dot Canwell played the piano; Laura Hutchins played a couple tunes on the accordion; Bertha Benoit and Dot Canwell sang a duet, "Because He Lives"; Russell Yates gave a reading, "An Innocent Mistake"; John Howe and Sterling Mills played several tunes on the saxophone and trumpet while Dot played the piano; a group of six ladies sang several songs, Irene Mills, Peggy Blake, Olive Howe, Connie Tutlis, Laura Hutchins and Jean Griffin; Gerald Estes played a couple tunes on his harmonica; poem by Richard Felt; Connie Tutlis, state deputy, spoke briefly; Louis Woodworth told a story; reading by Richard Felt; closing song by all and closing thought, "It is better to try and fail than to never have tried at all." There will be a variety show on Sept. 15. Sick members were Sharon Silver and Phyllis Jordan.

Marybeth Hoover visited her cousins, Joseph and Maggie Hoyt at Edgcomb this past week. On the weekend Joseph and Maggie Hoyt visited their dad, James Hoyt.

The Historical Society is missing two pictures in the scrapbook of W.H.S. graduates from the class of 1925, Everett Cole and Hilda Ring Dragon. If anyone has a picture of either of these that they could copy, please let Mary Billings know at 665-2560.

I am missing a few Eureka to make a full collection of all the years of Woodstock High School. If you have any old Eureka that you no longer want, please let me know (Alice Hoyt at 665-2460), as

I would like to have them either to keep or share with others who might like them. Thanks.

Curator Larry Billings has donated a small set of shelves to the Historical Society for added space. The society is very active and productive for a small organization. It looks forward to a new century with enthusiasm. They have been through much already and can build on past experience for the future.

History Day was a success. Those setting up booths were Pat Gott, The Universalists, Den Corrin, Silver Creations, Jolene Lovejoy, John Patrick and Nadja Bolio. Ruth Cox and Elaine Robbins watched the flea market. Anella Burnham, Kathleen Bean and Mary Billings tended the food table. Curator Larry Billings and Olive Risko gave tours. The Bonneys and Paul Billings did a great job helping. Flowers came from Mary and Larry Billings. A video on lighthouses was loaned by Whitman Memorial Library.

Sympathy is extended to Alice and Ken McInnis in the death of their daughter-in-law, Peggy Lee McInnis, wife of Mark McInnis. Memorial services were held Aug. 10. For those of you wishing to send cards, Mark's address is 5003 Grove Manor Court, Plant City, FL 33565.

### Sunday River Valley



by Rockie Graham

Wet weather has dominated the past week, but there have been some beautiful afternoons with the sun shining brightly and the temperature not too hot. I weeded segments of my garden and now I can see the squash flowers as I drive down the road. With a little more sun, I will also see squash. Zucchini, of course, is prolific, but that will grow in any kind of weather. I am looking for buttercup squash and pumpkins to appear. Kale and chard continue to do well.

Lettuce is fine, except the fancy lettuce I tried which either never came up or is lost in the weeds.

Went for a bicycle ride this weekend and was followed by a wild turkey. It seemed to be whining or crying as it tracked me down the road. They say there were two of them, so maybe it was looking for its mate. In any case, it roams the road, often crossing in front of traffic, so people would do well to be cautious heading up river.

I've been taking Tasha for longer walks, on the leash. She is doing better, but still wants to run. At every chance she heads next door to look for Dugan. In between, she behaves and even listens, when it suits her. Saturday, I took her to the camp so she could get a real run. She loved it and was even willing to get back in the car when it was time to go. That shows improvement.

On Sunday I opened the Sunday River Schoolhouse. There weren't as many visitors as last year, but all had positive things to say. My task is going to be to research the schoolhouse and get answers to the questions that people ask — like when did it close and how many students there were. There is no visible history there. Perhaps it is in the town office. I shall look. In any case, there were repeat visitors, like Bea and Eli Short and the Flints. I believe Mrs. Flint was a student there for a short while. Are there other students still in the area? Let me know.

My e-mail has been acting up, again. It sends 5-10 copies of each message. Try as I might I can't stop it. Peter, at BDC, told me to download a newer version of Pegasus. I did. Now I can't send attachments and it sends 10 versions of everything. Any hints out there?

The next poetry reading is Thursday, the 24th, at Café DiCoco. All are welcome. I am hoping we'll get some new students this year. We are definitely a multi-age group and enjoy new poets and listeners, too.

That is all for this week. I am not sure I can send this, but if you are reading this, I did. Have a good week and enjoy the rain.

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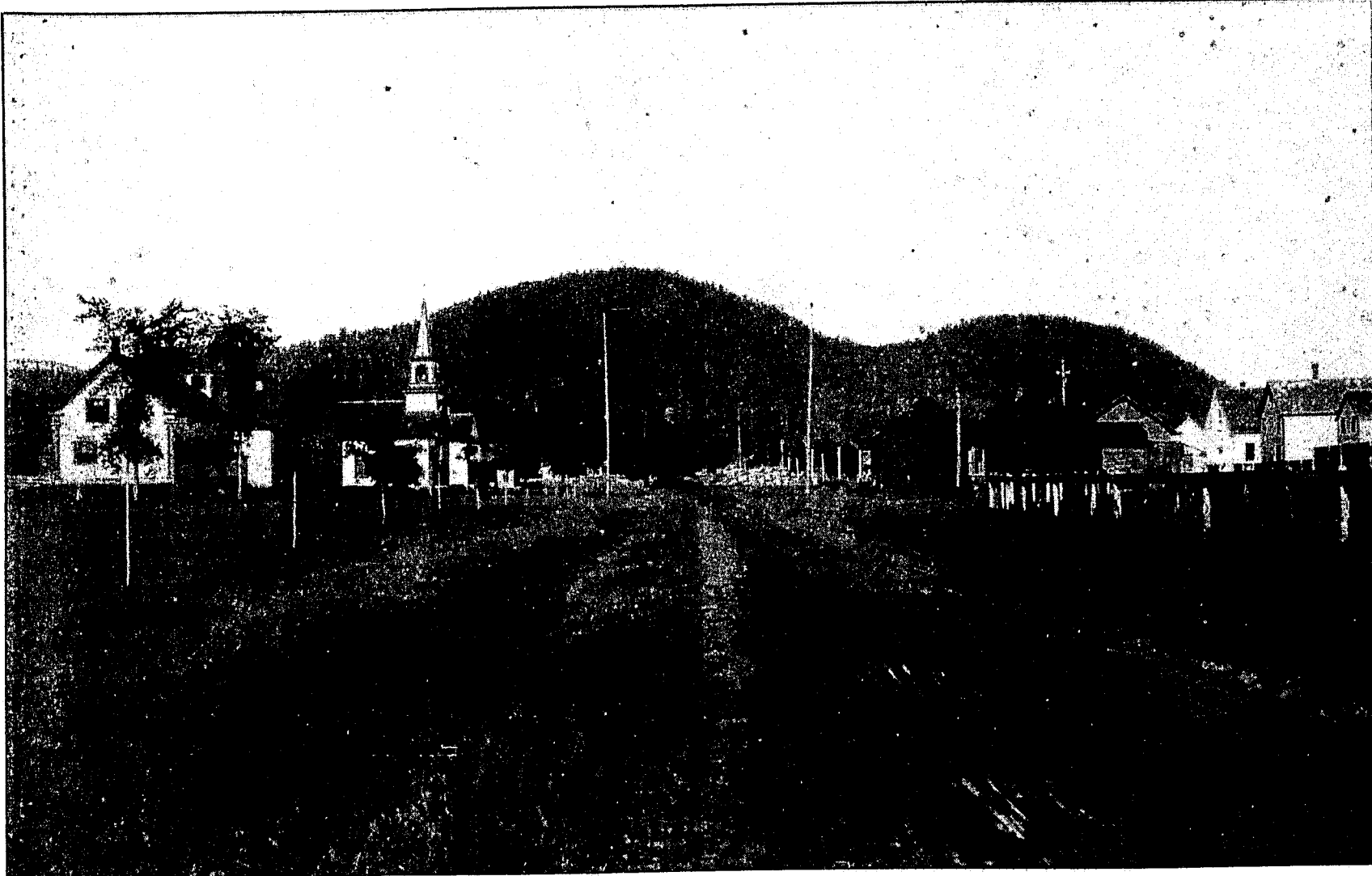
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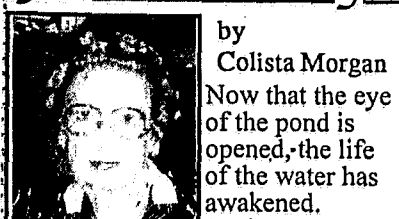
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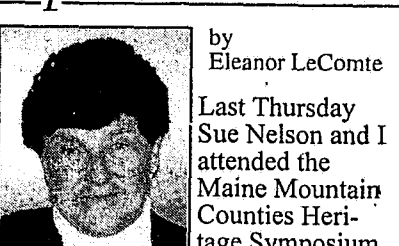
by Colista Morgan  
Now that the eye of the pond is opened, the life of the water has awakened.  
During good afternoons I have enjoyed watching the ducks, turtles and other swimmers as they play and travel. It was among this, as a background, that I received a surprise birthday party on Sunday. I was told my cousins were coming. They did, bringing with them friends and refreshments for a total of 27 people instead of seven. Everybody seemed to have a good time and I'm sure I did. The whole time was full of fun. I was pleased with meeting cousins again and new members of the family. What a nice way to spend a birthday.

On Saturday, my nephew and wife with two grandchildren came for an overnight visit. They had to take a boat from Rockland to North Haven, an island where they live. It was nice to see them again. Thanks, Dale and Marcia.

During the whole new season of warmth, we are free to enjoy the little adventures that lie along this path of ours.

It was so nice to talk with Eleanor, who called to wish me a happy birthday.

## Upton



by Eleanor LeComte  
Last Thursday Sue Nelson and I attended the Maine Mountain Counties Heritage Symposium at the University of Maine-Farmington. We were representing the Route 26 Scenic Byway Management Committee. Our purpose was to collect information from other committees in the Western Mountain Area on suitable signage for our byway. The day was very interesting with presentations from very knowledgeable people in regard to the promotion of Maine tourism. The "inroads" have been planted. It has been marketed and is changing the way we view our state. The secret, lovely places in our rural areas have been exposed. While we in our sleepy little towns were just mildly aware of the quiet invasion. "You can get here from there" in our mobile society. The off-road swimming hole and favorite trout streams no longer go unnoticed. The Route 26 Scenic Byway committee's goal from its onset was to "leave it as it is." The farms, views and secret places should not receive too much attention. We strive to protect the property rights and the environment along the way. Direct the visitors from elsewhere to look, enjoy and leave. I am afraid many people have other plans in other areas of the state. They intend to capitalize on the natural wonders of Maine. It is

## Music in the Magalloway Valley

Pianist David Pihl and wife, soprano Dr. Mary Hawthorne, will again perform a concert for piano and voice at the Azisochos Grange in Wilsons Mills on Wednesday, Aug. 23 at 7 p.m. They will perform a varied program of art songs and arias in English and will include selections from Franz Josef Haydn's "Creation" and Antonin Dvorak's "Gypsy Melodies" as well as works by American composers Aaron Copland, Samuel Barber, Amy Beach and Charles Ives.

Pihl is an active pianist in the New England area and has also toured recently in the Czech Republic where he recorded William Thomas McKinley's "Piano Concerto in Two Movements" with the Moravian Philharmonic. This will be released on the label of Master Musicians Collective from Boston, Mass. Pihl holds a master of piano performance from the University of Lowell, Mass. and has studied with Michael Kramer and Anthony diBonaventura.

Hawthorne is a physician practicing internal medicine in Worcester, Mass. and is on the faculty of University of Massachusetts Medical School. The couple reside in Worcester, Mass. and Lincoln, N.H. and they have performed many programs together.

good for the economy, but less than good for the environment. Sue and I did not learn anything about signs, but we were given a glimpse at what is projected for the rural, forested mountains and lakes of Maine. It's not all bad, but there are people concerned about the road from Newry Corner to the Upton-New Hampshire border.

The vegetable gardens are producing well and I have been the recipient of many healthy goodies. Buster Williamson has kept me well supplied with green beans, beet greens, lettuce and blueberries. Sunday evening Jeanette and Lionel Roy were on their "Benevolent Run" in which they share their garden with friends along the way. There were three "blue ribbon" dahlias and Lionel's pride, his first harvest of sour cherries. They were not only beautiful, they were delicious. I tried his recipe for high calorie, high cholesterol garden lettuce with heavy cream. It was a sinfully good treat. The artery-clogging recipe should only be eaten once a year.

Another garden treat was Joy Yarnell's huge, deep purple Japanese iris, aptly named "Summer Storm."

Every camp along the lake seemed to have occupants this late summer weekend. There was a bonfire and lots of laughter at Bob Tucker's camp. The Philbrick, Fysh, Brooks, Miller, Olsen, Vien and Stratton camps had many guests. The sunset on Saturday was a gift to all of us with its purple, reds, pinks and golds. Upton has beautiful sunsets all year long, and all of them are different.

The Ladies Aid met again to assemble crafts for the Sept. 2 Craft and Bake Sale. We invite anyone who wishes to have a table to participate. There is no charge for a table.

This week's helpers were Sue Angevine, Bev Dyer, Ginny Williamson, Ellie LeComte, Simone Lavallee, Margaret Mitchell and Lucille Largesse.

The Hibbard Camp on Route 26 is having an artesian well drilled. Lucille Largesse is attending her annual quilters' retreat at Lakeside Camps on Richardson Lake.

Lately, the bird feeders have been less than interesting with the usual feathered friends visiting. Not so up at the Yarnell's. This morning, they

had a flock of Canada warblers mixed among the finches in the plum tree. Evidently there were little worms on the leaves and the warblers were dining on them. Now, that sure is an organic method to getting rid of pesky creatures. The warblers are on their southern flight. Watch for more on the way. The Canada warbler (Wilsonia canadensis) received its name when it was discovered in Canada, but it is not confined to Canada. They stay in the western mountains, which provide moist woodland with its thick undergrowth. This provides food and shelter. Its range is about six feet up from the ground. Flying from bush to bush it is an excellent flycatcher. It also relishes larvae and, bless its little heart, they enjoy an occasional spider. The Canada warblers' flyway extends to northwestern South America, where I understand they are our chief rival in flying bugs. Get going little guy, you have a long trip ahead of you. The "Bird of the Week" is the Canada warbler.

## Family reunions

### CLOUGH FAMILY

The eighth annual Clough Reunion was held on Saturday, Aug. 5, at the Bear Mountain Village Campground, South Waterford.

Thirty family members, descendants of Millard and Frances Brown Clough, were present to visit, reminisce, swim and enjoy the beautiful, sunny day. A picture album of the last seven years' reunions was enjoyed. It has been compiled each year, first by Ida Bryant and lastly by Shelly Rossignol.

A potluck picnic was served on the picnic tables, with salads, chips, punch and cold drinks brought by the many families. Hamburgers and hotdogs were furnished by Doug Rice and family and Donnie Rice. Gas grills were brought by Don Rice and Gale and Louann Bell. A special reunion cake, with a picture of Millard and Frances on their 50th anniversary centered in the center of the cake (done by special electronics as part of the frosting), was brought by Ida Clough Bryant. Donna Rice Howe always provides baked beans, and this year she was the reunion coordinator.

Family members do extend a big "Thank You" to Gale and Louann Brown Bell for hosting seven of the past reunions at their home on Watson Road, Norway.

Attending the reunion were Gale and Louann Brown Bell, Norway; Jennie Bell Corbett and Emily, Otisfield; Earlon "Lefty" Keniston and Mary Clough Rice Keniston, Bethel; Douglas and Sandra Rice, Justin and Sue, Guilford, Conn.; Donald Rice, Jaidyn and Dalton, Waterford; Alton and Donna Rice Howe, North Waterford; Chip and Barbara Howe, Jiselle and Kaylea, Old Saybrook, Conn.; April Howe, Northborough, Mass.; Bud and Shirley Clough, Bethel; Karen Clough Withee, Gardiner; Shelly Withee Rossignol and Timmy, Casco; Jodi Withee, Zachary and Ebony, Gray; Ida Clough Bryant, George Jr. and Brenda Davis Bryant, Nicole Bryant, Duane Parsons, Noelle Davis Bryant, Justin and Alec Davis, all of Bangor.

## From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Fair skies and warm temperatures provided a winning combination to make the 20th annual Sudbury Canada Days one of the most successful to date. The weekend's events began with the ninth annual Hall Memorial Lecture by Jerome J. Nadelhaft, emeritus professor of history at the University of Maine, who discussed the constitutional issues involved with the rise of prohibition and the presence of wife abuse in 19th century New England and New York. Professor Nadelhaft skillfully employed a

wide variety of sources to show how these issues converged to influence the treatment of women as represented in the popular press of the day.

Friday was also the day that the 18th century re-creators, the Ancient Ones, arrived for the weekend to set up their camps and to provide visitors with a wide range of hands-on experiences relating to life in that era.

On Saturday, food and beverages were offered from the 1922 Mount Zircon Bottle Lunch Stand. Calliope music during the afternoon was provided by Mr. Mark's Mighty Maine Music Machine. A variety of traditional craft demonstrations (including caning, basket making, spinning, rug braiding, calligraphy, and quilting) were featured. A local art show was held in front of the Robinson House. The flower show, organized by Sue Kettinger and Jane Vogt, was held on the sun porch of the Robinson House. Children's activities were under the very capable leadership of Marilyn Swan. Winners of the children's parade were Kelsey Gamble as Betsey Ross and Lisa Ojeda as Ethel Barrymore.

The theme this year was "Famous Men and Women." Trophy winners of the children's games (three legged, egg and spoon, clothing, wheelbarrow, sack, shoe, etc. races) included Sarah Swan, Shelly Swan, Katie Sumner, Thomas Farrar, Ian Carter, Evan Yerkeley, Eric Yerkeley and Liam Carter. Andy Wardwell was the winner of the croquet tournament. Dawn Gross won the door prize. Historical videos continued all afternoon.

The log driver's bean supper, headed up by Persis Post and her committee, was held on the grounds of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Following the supper, the Mahoosuc Music Makers Brass Quintet played a variety of numbers. After their performance, Helen Pike, daughter of Robert Pike, author of "Spike Boots" and "Tall Trees, Tough Men," presented a lecture on her father's life and his books, which have been among the most beloved of any relating to logging in Northern New England.

Sunday's events included the flower and art shows, historical videos and the farming/logging exhibit. A special memorial service was held during the afternoon to honor Allan Fraser, longtime society member. A video of Allan pro-

viding details of his life was shown. Beverly Swan of the Andover Historical Society did the interview and Bob Spidell filmed it. The Lower Sunday River School House was again open for tours.

The weekend's events closed with the annual hymn sing with Judy Webster playing the piano at the historic Middle Intervale Meeting House (1816), the town's oldest surviving religious structure.

Much gratitude is extended to all those who helped make this year's celebration such a success by providing food for the supper, supervising activities, serving as judges, helping to move chairs and tables or assisting with events.

Sudbury Canada Days is held each year at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center, which sponsors a wide range of special events throughout the year. With a membership of over 1,100, the society is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive historical agency. Focusing on the history of northern New England, the Regional History Center offers local and regional history courses, exhibits, lectures, workshops, conference, festivals, and educational programming for students of all ages. Its publications have received both regional and national recognition. The operations of the center are currently housed in two National Register buildings on Broad Street, Bethel, overlooking the historic Bethel Common, where the public can visit the period house museum and research library.

## From the Bethel Area Poets Society

The Bethel Area Poets Society will hold a poetry reading on Thursday, Aug. 24, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Café DiCocoa on Main Street in Bethel. All area poets and poetry lovers are welcome to attend.

Come and read your own poetry or that of your favorite poet. Newcomers are always welcome. The Café will be open, so people are welcome to have dinner first and then come upstairs. Tell all your friends and head up to the Café.

This will be a perfect way to conclude your summer and share poems written on summer vacation. For more information, call 824-3427.

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## Shedd at Deertrees

Anna Shedd, daughter of Dr. Judy Shedd, formerly of Bethel, will perform in "The Telephone" at Deertrees Theater in Harrison Aug. 27, at 8 p.m.

Shedd is well known in southern Maine as a young coloratura soprano. Her most recent role was as Yum Yum in "Milcodo" by Gilbert and Sullivan. She has also had major roles in "Turnabout" by Hank Beebe, "Secret Garden," "Sound of Music" and "Our Town."

Shedd takes classes in music and theater at the University of Southern Maine, and is coached by Steve Morris of Boston Vocal Artists.

She has also performed opera in Kennebunkport and performed at Andrew Sala Choral Festival in France. She won the Opera Aria Competition of Maine in the high school category. She plans a career in theater and music.

From the

### Bethel Library

The Bethel Library Summer Reading Program will have its field trip to the BIG Adventure Center on Aug. 22 at 10 a.m. Please return signed permission slips along with completed and signed book slips to the library on or before Aug. 19. Any parent who would like to be a volunteer and play miniature golf along with us, please contact the library.

The following books were donated by the American Legion, Post 81, Bethel in memory of life member Mrs. Eva Schools: "The Two Ocean War" by Samuel Eliot Morison and "The Almanac of American History" by Arthur Schlesinger Jr. The Mason-McMillin Round Robin Bridge Group donated "Sports the Complete Visual Reference" by Francis Fortin in memory of James McGinniss and "Caribou" by George in memory of Dana Douglass.

We would like to thank the following patrons for book, audio and video donations: Louise Rice, Jean Taber, Jim Lowe, Marilyn Sahlberg, Nancy Eaton, Alice Arlen, Jane Ryerson, Mary Lou Pugh, Vivian Chase, Dot Murphy, Hillary Stevens, Jim Mann Sr., Jonathan Starr.

The Bethel Library would like to thank the following patrons for donations to our annual giving fund: Bonnie Pooley, Charles and Cathy Newell, Bill and Ki Clough, Robert and Nancy Chadbourn, James and Bonnie Largess, and The Village Sampler.

Following is a list of new books at the library:

Adult Fiction: "Julie and Romeo" by Jeanne Ray, "White Teeth" by Zadie Smith, "Places in the Dark" by Thomas Cook, "Devil's Claw" by J.A. Jance, "Boy in the Water" by Stephen Dobyns, "The Jewel that was Ours" and "Last Bus to Woodstock" by Colin Dexter, "The River King" by Alice Hoffman, "The Red Dragon" by Harris, "Open House" by Elizabeth Berg, "Saving Elijah" by Fran Dorf, "The Notebook of Lost

Things" by Megan Staffel, "Evening News" by Marly Swick, "An Obedient Father" by Akhil Sharma, "Bee" by Myla Goldberg, "Big Stone Gap" by Adriana Trigiani, "Six Crooked Highways" by Wayne Johnson, "Murder in Foggy Bottom" by Margaret Truman, "Painted Lady" by Donna Baker, "The Wedding" by Danielle Steel, "Stern Men" by E. Gilbert, "Heartbreaker" by Julie Garwood, "Omerta" by Mario Puzo, "Ripetide" by C. Coulter, "Reflections in Bullough's Pond" by Diana Muir, "Lamorna Wink" by Martha Grimes, "The Disappearance of Amy Cave" by Pat Flage.

Adult Nonfiction: "From Dawn to Dusk 1500 to Present" by Jacques Barzun, "Preventive Medicine: Natural Options for Keeping Well" by Time Life Books, "Herbs for Health and Happiness" by Mo Siegel, "Allergies" by Franklin Adkinson, "Arthritis-John Hopkins Health" by David Hillman, "Back Pain" by John Kostuik, "Living Low Carb" by Fran McCulough, "Maine's Most Scenic Roads" by John Gibson, "The Last Empress" by Greg King, "Physicians' Desk Reference 2000" and "Physicians' Reference for Non-Prescription Drugs 2000" by Medical Economics, "The American Revolution" by Deborah Kent, "The Civil War A House Divided" by Zachary Kent.

Easy and Junior Fiction and Nonfiction: "King of the Shadows" by Susan Cooper, "A Coal Miner's Bride" by Susan Bartoletti, "The Vietnam War" by Deborah Kent, "The Korean War" by Conrad Stein, "World War I" by Zachary Kent, "World War II America Goes to War" by Conrad Stein, "World War II in the Pacific" by Conrad Stein, "The Persian Gulf War" by Zachary Kent.

Notes from

### SAD44 Adult Ed

The SAD44 Adult Learning Center, located on Philbrook Street in Bethel, will open for the school year on Aug. 29 for student intake appointments and computer lab use on Tuesday and Wednesday from 9

a.m. to 3 p.m. and from 4 to 7 p.m. on Thursday. The academic skills courses and GED preparation offered at the Adult Learning Center will begin following Labor Day. Lee Dolleman is rejoining the Adult Learning Center staff this year as an instructor and will be working with instructor Jeanette Baldrige and counselor Merrill Bittner. To schedule an intake appointment for GED preparation and testing, career or educational guidance or academic skills work, call the Adult Education office at 824-2780.

University of Maine classes at the Telstar ITV site will begin on Sept. 5. Course guides are available at the Adult Education office. More than 100 courses are available through interactive television or over the Internet. Anyone interested in learning more about University of Maine ITV classes may call the Adult Education office at 824-2780.

The Adult Education course guide for classes offered during the fall term will be available during the week of Aug. 28 with most classes starting in mid-September. Course guides are mailed to all postal patrons in SAD44 towns.

From the

### Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

Many thanks to Jeff and Pattie Parsons from Bethel Outdoor Adventures for hosting this month's Business After Hours and to the Sudbury Inn for hosting the August Community Networking Breakfast.

We have done several mailings in the past couple weeks thanks to our faithful office volunteers, JoAnne Best, Ruth Silver and Nancy Fox. We also have many friends who helped us staff our booth at the Fryeburg Fair's 150th Birthday Celebration. Huge thanks are extended to: Rick Mowery, Carry Lizotte, Carole Duplessis, Nick Lambert, Julia Young, Kathi Schandmeier, Marvin Collins, JoAnne and Burt Best, Rosalie Holliday, Julia Reuter, Paula Gillies, Michele Varuolo, Jette Black, Brad Jerome, and Mary McPheters.

Welcome to our newest member: Megalink, who has also been a tremendous supporter of our events this year. They sponsored the Tandem Bike Raffle, which was drawn this past weekend immediately following the ninth annual Powerade Maine State Triathlon Classic. The lucky winner was John Beary from Rockland, Mass.

Also, Hancock Lumber has just joined the chamber and they have jumped in to help us sponsor the third annual Harvest Fest (which

includes the popular Chowdah Cookoff.) It happens Saturday, Sept. 23.

All are invited to attend our upcoming Marketing Seminar and Luncheon, to be held on Wednesday, Aug. 30, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., with the luncheon to follow. There is no charge for this meeting and lunch. The chamber is pleased to be in partnership with Gray Marketing of Bethel and the Maine Tourism Association in the presentation of this program, which will offer in-depth information on all the marketing opportunities that the chamber, the Maine Tourism Association and the State of Maine have to offer. A RSVP is required and much appreciated by Wednesday, Aug. 23 to the chamber office, 824-2282.

Congratulations are extended to members Ed Yasko and Amy Arrow on the opening of their new venture, Serenity Corners on Main Street, Bethel.

From the

### Jackson-Silver Auxiliary

Although recessed for meetings since June, this American Legion Auxiliary has not been idle. A Red Cross blood drive was conducted on Aug. 14 and the family picnic supper for Legion and Auxiliary is scheduled for Aug. 17. Members are asked to bring something to share along with the hamburgers, hot dogs and corn, which will be furnished. The Auxiliary will have a short meeting after the picnic, and a regular schedule of meetings will begin Sept. 7.

There will be another supper and dance on Sept. 12, with music by The Parisians, and one on Oct. 10 when Norm and Betty Decoteau will furnish the music.

Also in planning stages is a gathering of patients from Togus and the Western Maine Veterans' Home for early October for a noon meal, entertainment and Bingo playing.

The Auxiliary also prepares the light supper meal and refreshments for the Bingo games, which the Post conducts each Wednesday and Friday evening.

From the

### Bethel Senior Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met at Stony Brook Campground Aug. 9 for their annual picnic with 31 members attending.

The raffle was a wreath donated by Louise Twitchell and won by Muriel Whitney.

Thanks to Roger Twitchell, Bill

Mitchell and Rudy Royer for cooking the hamburgers and hot dogs. Also thank you to Eunice Powell for her hospitality.

The next meeting will be Sept. 13 at the North Waterford Church at 11 a.m. A brown bag auction will be held at this meeting. Price of dinner is \$6.

The bus trip will be Sept. 21 and the cost is \$30, which includes lunch. There must be at least 35 people going on the trip or it will be canceled. Money has to be paid by Sept. 13. Any questions, call Helen Saunders at 836-3192.

The bus will be going to Franconia Notch, Lincoln, Kancamagus Highway, North Conway and back to Bethel. The bus will leave the Bethel Family Health Center at 8:30 a.m.

August birthdays: Dorothy Bartlett, Arlene Bean, Dorothy Bean, Lola Bisson, Colleen Boyd, Jeanette Kimball, Arlene Lowell, Irene Onofrio, Eunice Powell, Irene Russell, Verna Thayer, Rosabelle Tift, Ethelyn Wight and John Winslow.

From the

### Telstar Alumni Association

The Telstar Alumni Association held its second annual Alumni Day on Aug. 12, at Dunham Recreation Park in Locke Mills. The event took place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A business meeting and election of officers took place. New officers are: Christine Greenleaf, president; Sally Smith, vice president; Cindy Wakefield-Campbell, secretary; and Ron Smith, treasurer.

The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 12, in the Telstar High School Library at 6:30 p.m. Interested alumni are invited and urged to attend this meeting, as we plan to review our bylaws and need input from members. Also, we need members of classes who had reunions this summer to come and let us know how they went and names of members they were unable to locate.

Interest was expressed by members to do something different at Alumni Day, and the Alumni Association would like people to come and give us input on different options for this day. Alumni Day is for all Telstar alumni, which is somewhere around 2,500 people encompassing 30 years of graduations. Come on, people, help us out. Just give us a few minutes of your time.

From

### Hurricane Island Outward Bound

Outward Bound announces that scholarship dollars are now avail-

able to students 18 and older who are interested in participating in a challenging Maine Wilderness Semester course running from Sept. 9 to Nov. 14 — sailing, canoeing, camping and backpacking the coast and remote backcountry of Maine.

"Young people tell us all the time that they've always wanted to go on an Outward Bound semester course, but figured they couldn't afford it so they never applied," says Tammy Emery, director of admission for the Hurricane Island Outward Bound School in Rockland. "If someone wants to attend a course, we don't want them to be deterred because of cost. We award scholarships to students every day." For the fall semester, college credit and scholarship money are available, making this course a popular and viable choice for college-age students and working professionals alike.

The Hurricane Island fall semester is packed solid with activity and hands-on training, beginning with sailing Maine's rugged coastline in Outward Bound's famous ketch-rigged pulling boats. In this initial phase, students work together to acquire the skills necessary to sail the islands and inlets of the coast of Maine — long considered to be the greatest cruising ground in the world. Students learn the intricacies of coastal sailing, before diving into the next phase of the course: canoeing and backpacking the legendary backcountry of northern Maine, where the breathtaking colors of fall and incredible array of wildlife punctuate each day with renewed enthusiasm for the challenges to come.

"... The semester course is extreme," says Barbara Fiore, program director at the Hurricane Island School's base in Newry. "You don't need any prior outdoor experience for this course, but you definitely have to be willing to give it everything you've got. Semester students will be canoeing, hiking, backpacking — you name it. Students will even be certified in wilderness first aid."

"If you've ever wanted to do this," says Emery, "now's the time."

For information about the Fall Wilderness Semester in Maine, applying for a scholarship, how to enroll, or for more information about the Hurricane Island Outward Bound School, call 1-800-341-1744.

Headquartered in Rockland, the Hurricane Island Outward Bound School is a nonprofit, educational organization whose mission is to conduct safe, adventure-based courses structured to encourage growth and discovery, and to inspire confidence, self-reliance, concern for others and care for the environment.

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# Community Calendar

## Activities

**Public Computer Access:** The Adult Learning Center computer lab will be open for public use on Monday, Aug. 21, from 1 to 4 p.m. and on Wednesday, Aug. 23, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. During the week of Aug. 28, the lab will be open on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; and on Thursday from 5 to 7 p.m. There is a computer at the Telstar Adult Education office that is available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. All lab users must complete a SAD44 Acceptable Use Policy regarding Internet and e-mail use.

**Road Cycling,** Sundays, 9 a.m. at Davis Park  
**Bake Sale,** every Thursday noon, June 1-Aug. 31, at Bethel United Methodist Church.

**Bethel Farmers' Market,** 9 a.m. to 12 noon Saturdays at parking lot at Bethel Area Health Center until end of October.

**Fabric Sale,** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Every Friday and Saturday at Pleasant Valley Grange, Route 2, West Bethel.

**Thursday, Aug. 17, 5 to 6:30 p.m.** — Turkey/Corn-on-the-Cob Supper at East Stoneham Church vestry, Route 5. Cost: \$6 for adults and \$3 for children.

**Friday, Aug. 18, 9 a.m.** — Book and Bake Sale at Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. At 6:30 p.m., the library will sponsor a Magic Show put on by B.J. Hickman.

**Celebration Barn Theater,** South Paris, will feature master clowns Avner Eisenberg and Julie Goell beginning 8 p.m. (doors open 7:30 p.m.) Tickets: \$8 and \$5. Reservations required. Call box office at 743-8452.

**Saturday, Aug. 19, "A Celtic Journey,"** — concert of Celtic music by Kevin McElroy at E. Rawding Studios, 430 Main Street, Norway (743-1884). Doors open 7:30 p.m., concert at 8 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$12; children 10 and under, \$10 on sale at The Spare Closet or E. Rawding Studios.

**Yard Sale (9 a.m. to 1 p.m.)** and **Chicken BBQ (5 p.m.)** at Alder River Grange Hall, East Bethel. Supper menu: baked beans, salads, casseroles, desserts, beverages. Cost: \$5 for adults and \$3 for under 13.

**Even Song,** final concert of summer series by Diane Muise, will be held at Wesleyan Chapel, South Waterford, at 7 p.m.

**25th annual Arts and Artisans Fair,** to benefit Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library, will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at New Suncook School, Route 5, Lovell, rain or shine. Over 50 juried craftsmen, food, raffle items. Admission free.

**"Flowering Plants of Maine's Wetlands,"** a slide presentation at McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris, followed by an exploration of the Lake Penesseewassee Bog Bring canoe, kayak and provisions. \$10 donation suggested. Reserve in advance (743-8820).

**Sunday, Aug. 20, 2 to 4 p.m. (rain or shine)** — "Butterfly Gardening" workshop at Wilhelm Reich Museum, Rangeley. Meet at Outdoor Classroom on Dodge Pond Road. Light hiking. Dress appropriately for outdoor hands-on (sturdy shoes, bug spray, sunscreen. Bring water bottle. Free. For information, call 864-3443.

**Hymn Sing and Ice Cream Social,** 7 p.m., at East Stoneham Church. Old Home Day, sponsored by Albany Congregational Church after the regular church service at 9:30 a.m. Activities and games for children and adults. Buffet luncheon at noon, followed by hymn sing at 1 p.m.

**Monday, Aug. 21 7 p.m.** — Mahoosuc Music Makers Summer Concert at the gazebo on Bethel Common.

**Tuesday, Aug. 22 — All You Can Eat Buffet Supper,** 5 to 6:30 p.m. at North Waterford Congregational Church (across from Tut's Store). Menu: baked beans, American chop suey, casseroles, salads, brown bread, rolls, beverages, homemade pies. Adults \$6, children under 12, \$3.

**Oxford County Republican meeting** at Fryeburg Fairgrounds — 5:30 p.m. social hour and 6:30 p.m. potluck dinner.

**Welcome Back to School Picnic** for all Crescent Park School families (parents, grandparents, special friends), sponsored by CPS PTA, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dancing, games and fun. Bring picnic lunch, baseball glove, lawn chairs and a blanket. No pets, please.

**Wednesday, Aug. 23, 7 p.m.** — Pianist David Pihl and his wife, soprano Dr. Mary Hawthorne will present a concert at Azisochos Grange in Wilsons Mills.

**"Reading the Forested Landscape" workshop** at McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Meet at Foundation. Dress for woods and fields. \$15 donation includes refreshments. Reserve in advance (743-8820). Western Foothills Land Trust annual meeting will precede the workshop at 8 a.m. in McLaughlin Foundation barn with an informal continental breakfast.

**Thursday, Aug. 24, 5:30 p.m.,** Public Supper at Albany Congregational Church, Hunts Corner, Albany.

**Bethel Area Poets Society meeting** at Café DiCocoa, Main Street, Bethel, 7 to 9 p.m. All area poets and poetry lovers welcome. For more information, call 824-3427.

**Friday, Aug. 25, — "Turkey Hollow Consort"** will be presented by a trio from Central Maine: Tom Rowe (Schooner Fare 25-year member), son Dave and close friend Denny Breat at Rawding Studios, Main Street, Norway. Guitar, banjo, mandolin, piano, tin whistles and bass with three-part vocals. Ticket: \$12 for adults and \$10 for children under 10 available at Grassroots Graphics, Norway, or by phone at 743-1884. Doors open at 7:30 p.m., concert at 8 p.m. Follow red stairs up to concert hall.

**Aug. 25, 26, 27 — 24th annual New England Trappers Weekend** at Neil Olson's, 76 East Bethel Road, Bethel. Starts at noon Friday. Activities all day Saturday and Sunday. Events include bear-trapping demonstration, coon dog trials, kids' fishing competition and jeeps' obstacle course.

**Saturday, Aug. 26, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** — Thrift/Bake Sale at East Stoneham Church vestry.

**Benefit Supper** for Eric Bernier and family at North Waterford Church vestry.

**Sunday, Aug. 27, 4 p.m.** — Fogg Bros will play bluegrass music on Bethel Common, sponsored by The Mahoosuc Arts Council as part of The Libbie Goodridge Kneeland Memorial Summer Series.

**East Bethel Church service,** 2 p.m., with Ben Conant doing the service.

**Wednesday, Sept. 13, 11 a.m.** — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting and dinner (\$6) at North Waterford Church. Brown bag auction.

**Thursday, Sept. 21 — Bethel Senior Citizens Club bus trip** to Franconia Notch, Lincoln, Kancamagus Highway, North Conway will leave Bethel Family Health Center at 8:30 a.m. Cost: \$30 includes lunch. Trip money must be in by Sept. 13. For more information, call Helen Saunders (836-3192).

## REACH

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## Exchanges

**District Exchange**—Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

**Community Service Center**—Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

## Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

## Alcohol/Drug Treatment

**Gateway Recovery Services**—Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info, call 207-743-7580.

## Veterans' Services

### (State/VA Benefits)

**Maine Veterans Home,** S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

## Church Services

### Bethel

**West Parish Congregational**—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 9:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

**Church of the Nazarene**—Interim Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 836-2490 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 836-6005 or 824-7289 for more info.

**Our Lady of the Snows**—Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m. 743-2606. Pastor Father Maurice Lebel 743-2606.

**Bethel Alliance Church**—Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-2289.

**United Methodist**—Rev. Walter Brown, Pastor, 9 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. (all ages welcome).

**West Bethel Union**—Rev. John Williams, 9 a.m. worship and church school. For info, call 836-2844 or 836-2882.

**Pleasant Valley Bible**—Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

**Episcopal House Church**—Third Sunday each month at the Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, at 4 p.m. For more information, call 824-2913.

**Church of Christ**—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

**Mahoosuc Mountain Friends**—a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers)—Sunday 9:30 a.m. at 558 E. Bethel Rd. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Marie Hickey (875-2257) for more info.

**Worldwide Church of God**—10:30 a.m. first third (and fifth) Saturday each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: Clayton Sweatt 824-8231.

### Woodstock

**Bryant Pond Baptist**—Rev. Peter Laitres, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service. 665-3133.

**Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist**—Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

**Unitarian Universalist**—Closed for summer vacation.

### Andover

**First Congregational Church**—Pastor Jane Rich. 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m.

**Calvary Congregational Church**—Summer hours: Morning worship service 9:30 a.m.; Sunday evening Praise Service, 7 p.m.; Wed. night, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Route 5, S. Andover, Rev. Duane Waite. 392-1121.

### Gorham, N.H.

**Assembly of God**—Pastor Paul Leiven. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

### Locke Mills

**Locke Mills Union**—Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

### East Stoneham

**East Stoneham Congregational**—Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

### Newry

**Newry Community Church**—Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

### Albany

**Congregational Church** - Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study Thursday evenings at Pastor Gammon's home in Woodstock.

### Norway/Paris

**Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)**—Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church**—Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

**West Paris Baptist**—Pastor Gordon DeHaas. Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

**North Paris Baptist**—Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

**Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)**—Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

### Rumford Point

**Rumford Point Church**—Sunday service, Sunday School, 6 p.m. Dec. 5, 12, 19. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

### West Paris

**Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris**—UU Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept.-mid-June). 674-2365.

**West Paris Baptist**—Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Adult Education and Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 6:45 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singing alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

**West Paris Congregational Church**—Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

**North Paris Federated Church**—Sunday service, 10:30 a.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singing alternating between NPFC and West Paris Baptist).

**East Summer Congregational**—Sunday service, 9 a.m.

## Library Hours

**Andover Library:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. After-school program, Tuesdays 3:15 p.m. Story hour for preschoolers, Thursdays 2-3 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

**Bethel Library:** Monday, 9 a.m. -1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

**Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond:** Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Hamlin Memorial Library, Hamlin:** Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

**West Paris Library, West Paris:** Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

**Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover:** Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

**Upton Library:** Saturdays, 9-11 a.m.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.

## Monthly Meetings

**First Sunday:** Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.

**Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club** meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.

**Every Sunday:** Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

**Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting,** 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

**First Monday:** V.F.W., Rebel Recreation Restaurant, West Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

**First and Third Monday:** Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Greenwood Planning Board** at Town Office, 7-9 p.m.

**Newry Fire Department monthly meetings:** first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station. Anyone interested please stop by the stations for a meeting.

**Second Monday:** Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

**Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17,** Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Monday:** SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

**The Gilead Fire Department** meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

**Bethel Airport Authority,** 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

**Every Monday:** Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

**Grief group (for the loss of a loved one)** meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Family Health Center.

**First Tuesday:** Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

**Upton selectmen meet** at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

**Windy Valley Snowmobile Club** meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Western Maine Knitters Guild** meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

**First and Third Tuesday:** Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 665-2460, the Town Office, 5 p.m.

**The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN)** Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

**The Bethel Lions Club** meets at the Frank Gibson home, North Road, Bethel, at 7 p.m.

**Bethel Area Promise Keepers,** 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support)** 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

**Second Tuesday:** Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

**Telstar Alumni Association** meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

**Second and Fourth Tuesday:** Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

**Ladies' Bible Fellowship,** 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**Third Tuesday:** Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

**Every Tuesday:** Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

**Andover Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

**Newry Board of Selectmen** meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

**Cross-Country Quilters** meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

**First Wednesday:** Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

**Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group,** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

**Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters,** 6:30 p.m., Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

**Second Wednesday:** Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m. Tax collector also holds hours.

**Friends of the West Paris Library,** 6:30 p.m. (new members welcome)

**First and Third Wednesday:** Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Wednesday:** Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Fourth Wednesday:** Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

**Women's Fellowship,** West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

**Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES,** Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

**Last Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan., March and May,** Crescent Park School PTA, 6:30-8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

**Every Wednesday:** TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**First Thursday:** United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

**Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House,** 7:30 p.m.

**Bethel Recreation Board meeting,** 7 p.m. at Town Office.

**Second Thursday:** Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

**Newry Fire Auxiliary** meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.**

**First and Third Thursday:** Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

**Fourth Thursday:** Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

**Every Thursday:** Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m. at 28 S. Main St. (Next meeting Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m.)

**West Paris Board of Selectmen** meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

**Middle and High School Youth Groups,** 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

**First Friday:** The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

**Third Friday:** Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

**Every Friday:** Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

**First Saturday:** Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

**St. Andrews Society meeting,** 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

**Second Saturday:** Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

**Last Saturday:** Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

## Seasonal only:

**Every Saturday:** Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking



# Television Listings

## THURSDAY EVENING AUGUST 17, 2000

|      | 7:00                                                      | 7:30                               | 8:00                               | 8:30                                              | 9:00                           | 9:30                           | 10:00                        | 10:30          | 11:00     | 11:30   |
|------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                                                  | Frasier                            | WWF Smackdown!                     |                                                   |                                |                                | Star Trek: Voyager           | Mad            | Mathis    |         |
| (32) | Early Edition                                             |                                    | Movie: "Other Women's Children"    |                                                   |                                |                                | Early Edition                | 700 Club       |           |         |
| (6)  | Hollywood                                                 | Seinfeld                           | Friends                            | Will-Grace                                        | Will-Grace                     | Democratic National Convention |                              | News           |           |         |
| (8)  | Fortune                                                   | Jeopardy!                          | Be a Millionaire                   |                                                   | ABC News 2000 The Vote         |                                |                              | News           |           |         |
| (10) | News-Lehrer                                               |                                    | Convention Coverage: The Democrats |                                                   |                                |                                |                              | Business       | Pipes     |         |
| (22) | WNBA Basketball Playoffs: Conf. Final                     |                                    |                                    |                                                   | WNBA Basketball Playoffs       |                                |                              | Sportscenter   |           |         |
| (34) | Waltons                                                   |                                    | Stampede!                          |                                                   | Wonders of Wildlife Honors     |                                |                              | Cagney & Lacey |           |         |
| (13) | Friends                                                   | Ent. Tonight                       | Big Brother                        | Becker                                            | Democratic National Convention |                                |                              | News           |           |         |
| (41) | Major League Baseball: Anaheim Angels at New York Yankees |                                    |                                    |                                                   |                                |                                | National Sports Report       | Sports         | Last Word |         |
| (15) | Real Sports                                               |                                    | Movie: "Lethal Weapon"             |                                                   |                                |                                | All-Frazier 1                | GString        | Naked     |         |
| (17) | Movie: "Andre"                                            |                                    |                                    | Movie: "Murder She Purred: A Mrs. Murphy Mystery" |                                |                                | Movie: "Angels in the Attic" |                |           |         |
| (18) | "One Good Cop" Cont'd                                     |                                    | Movie: "Never Been Kissed"         |                                                   |                                |                                | Movie: "Absence of the Good" |                |           |         |
| (20) | Front Row                                                 | Equestrian: Queen Elizabeth II Cup |                                    |                                                   | Front Row                      |                                | ESPNews                      | ESPNews        | ESPNews   | ESPNews |
| (44) | Intimate Portrait                                         |                                    | Unsolved Mysteries                 |                                                   | Movie: "Fools Rush In"         |                                |                              | Golden         |           |         |
| (5)  | Fresh Pr.                                                 | Fresh Pr.                          | Movie: "Universal Soldier"         |                                                   |                                |                                | Movie: "Red Heat"            |                |           |         |
| (24) | Hey Arnold!                                               | Rugrats                            | SpongeBob                          | SpongeBob                                         | Brady                          | Brady                          | Brady                        | Brady          | Brady     | Brady   |
| (25) | Three Stooges                                             |                                    | Movie: "Shane"                     |                                                   |                                |                                | Movie: "Rear Window"         |                |           |         |
| (26) | JAG                                                       |                                    | Nash Bridges                       |                                                   | Movie: "No Tomorrow"           |                                |                              | Strip Poker    | Ranger    |         |
| (27) | Law & Order                                               |                                    | Biography                          |                                                   | Murder One                     |                                | Murder One                   | Law & Order    |           |         |
| (12) | Full House                                                | Full House                         | Movie: "If Looks Could Kill"       |                                                   |                                |                                | News                         | MacGyver       |           |         |
| (39) | Democratic National Convention                            |                                    |                                    |                                                   | Larry King Live                |                                | Democratic Convention        | Post Convntion |           |         |

## FRIDAY EVENING AUGUST 18, 2000

|      | 7:00                      | 7:30         | 8:00                                  | 8:30              | 9:00                                                           | 9:30       | 10:00                                       | 10:30                            | 11:00        | 11:30    |
|------|---------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                  | Frasier      | The Strip                             |                   | Secret Agent Man                                               |            | Star Trek: Voyager                          | Mad                              | Mathis       |          |
| (32) | Early Edition             |              | Higher Ground                         |                   | Providence                                                     |            | Early Edition                               | 700 Club                         |              |          |
| (6)  | Hollywood                 | Seinfeld     | Providence                            |                   | Dateline                                                       |            | Law & Order                                 | News                             |              |          |
| (8)  | Fortune                   | Jeopardy!    | Sabrina                               | Boy-World         | Making                                                         | Making     | 20/20                                       | News                             |              |          |
| (10) | News-Lehrer               |              | Wash. Wk.                             | Wall St.          | Keeping Up                                                     | Keeping Up | Time Goes                                   | Served                           | Third Choice |          |
| (22) | Lines                     | NFL 2Night   |                                       |                   | NFL Preseason Football: Arizona Cardinals at Minnesota Vikings |            |                                             |                                  |              |          |
| (34) | 18 Wheels of Justice      |              | Extreme Wrestling                     |                   | Rollerjam: Teams TBA                                           |            | Motor Madness                               | Bull Riding                      |              |          |
| (13) | Friends                   | Ent. Tonight | Big Brother                           | Candid C.         | JAG                                                            |            | Nash Bridges                                | News                             |              |          |
| (41) | See This                  | Motorsports  | Motorcycle Racing                     | F1'stasy Football |                                                                |            | National Sports Report                      | Sports                           | Last Word    |          |
| (15) | Movie: "Doctor Dolittle"  |              | Movie: "Big Daddy"                    |                   |                                                                |            | Movie: "Deep Blue Sea"                      |                                  |              |          |
| (17) | Movie: "Quints"           |              | My Date With the President's Daughter |                   |                                                                |            | B Witched-Five                              | Bug Juice                        |              |          |
| (18) | Movie: "The Siege" Cont'd |              | Movie: "Jawbreaker"                   |                   |                                                                |            | Movie: "Eyes Wide Shut"                     |                                  |              |          |
| (20) | Front Row                 | Divers       | Outdoors                              | Outdoors          | Boating                                                        | Front Row  | ESPNews                                     | ESPNews                          | ESPNews      | ESPNews  |
| (44) | Intimate Portrait         |              | Unsolved Mysteries                    |                   | Movie: "Daddy"                                                 |            |                                             | Once and Again                   |              |          |
| (5)  | Fresh Pr.                 | Fresh Pr.    | Movie: "As Good as It Gets"           |                   |                                                                |            |                                             | "Back to the Future"             |              |          |
| (24) | U Pick Nicktoons          |              | HappyDay                              | HappyDay          | HappyDay                                                       | HappyDay   | HappyDay                                    | HappyDay                         | HappyDay     | HappyDay |
| (25) | Three Stooges             |              | Movie: "The Greatest"                 |                   |                                                                |            | Cinema                                      | Movie: "The Day the World Ended" |              |          |
| (26) | JAG                       |              | Nash Bridges                          |                   | "Tales From the Crypt Presents Demon Knight"                   |            |                                             | Strip Poker                      | Manhattan    |          |
| (27) | Law & Order               |              | Biography                             |                   |                                                                |            | Investigative Reports                       | Law & Order                      |              |          |
| (12) | Full House                | Full House   | Movie: "The Joy Luck Club"            |                   |                                                                |            | Major League Baseball: Cubs at Diamondbacks |                                  |              |          |
| (39) | Moneyline                 | Crossfire    | World Today                           |                   | Larry King Live                                                |            | Newsstand                                   | Sports                           | Moneyline    |          |

## SATURDAY EVENING AUGUST 19, 2000

|      | 7:00                                                             | 7:30      | 8:00                                                        | 8:30       | 9:00                                         | 9:30    | 10:00                              | 10:30                 | 11:00          | 11:30   |
|------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                                                         | Frasier   | Movie: "Boyz n the Hood"                                    |            |                                              |         | Movie: "Gladiator"                 |                       |                |         |
| (32) | Courage                                                          |           | Providence                                                  |            | Movie: "Funny Farm"                          |         |                                    | National Lamp.        |                |         |
| (6)  | Home Imp.                                                        | Seinfeld  | Gymnastics: U.S. Olympic Trials                             |            |                                              |         | Pretender                          | News                  | Sat. Night     |         |
| (8)  | Fortune                                                          | Jeopardy! | Movie: "The Pallbearer"                                     |            |                                              |         | Best Commercials-Never             | News                  | NYPD Blue      |         |
| (10) | Made In                                                          | Opinion   | Ballykissangel                                              |            | Antiques Roadshow                            |         | Dead Sea: Naked Planet             | Red Green             | Red Dwarf      |         |
| (22) | Sportscenter                                                     |           | Track and Field: Golden League                              |            |                                              |         | Baseball Tonight                   | Sportscenter          |                |         |
| (34) | "Dead Man's Island"                                              |           | Backstage                                                   | Grand Opry | Auto Racing: ASA's AC Delco Challenge Series |         |                                    | Grand Opry            |                |         |
| (13) | ER                                                               |           | NFL Preseason Football: American Bowl -- Colts vs. Steelers |            |                                              |         |                                    | News                  |                |         |
| (41) | ATP Tennis: Legg Mason Classic -- Semifinal                      |           | Gymnastics                                                  |            |                                              |         | National Sports Report             | Sports                | See This       |         |
| (15) | "Mr. Destiny" Cont'd                                             |           | Movie: "The Right Temptation"                               |            | Boxing: WCB Doubleheader                     |         |                                    |                       |                |         |
| (17) | So Weird                                                         | So Weird  | Movie: "Quints"                                             |            | Movie: "Susie Q"                             |         |                                    |                       | Totally        |         |
| (18) | Movie: "Die Hard" Cont'd                                         |           | Movie: "Die Hard 2"                                         |            |                                              |         | Movie: "Die Hard With a Vengeance" |                       |                |         |
| (20) | Boxing: Micosukee Fight Night -- Wild. Champ.                    |           | ESPNews                                                     | ESPNews    | ESPNews                                      | ESPNews | ESPNews                            | ESPNews               | ESPNews        | ESPNews |
| (44) | Movie: "Salem's Lot" Cont'd                                      |           |                                                             |            |                                              |         | Beyond Chance                      | Any Day Now           |                |         |
| (5)  | "As Good as It Gets"                                             |           | Movie: "The Shawshank Redemption"                           |            |                                              |         |                                    | Movie: "Thunderheart" |                |         |
| (24) | Skeeter                                                          | Rugrats   | Animorphs                                                   |            | All That                                     |         | Lucy and Desi                      | All in Family         | Jeffersons     |         |
| (25) | "Norma Rae" Cont'd                                               |           | Movie: "El Dorado"                                          |            |                                              |         | Movie: "Girls! Girls! Girls!"      |                       |                |         |
| (26) | Movie: "National Lampoon's Senior Trip"                          |           |                                                             |            | Movie: "Naked Gun 3 1/3: The Final Insult"   |         |                                    | Strip Poker           | War Next       |         |
| (27) | Love Chronicles                                                  |           | Biography                                                   |            | Live by Request Starring Willie Nelson       |         |                                    | Top 10                |                |         |
| (12) | Major League Baseball: Tampa Bay Devil Rays at Chicago White Sox |           |                                                             |            |                                              |         | News                               | Darkside              | Punisher       |         |
| (39) | Capital                                                          | Sports    | Worldview                                                   | Movers     | Larry King Weekend                           |         | Worldview                          | Capital               | Sports Tonight |         |

## SUNDAY EVENING AUGUST 20, 2000

|      | 7:00                            | 7:30      | 8:00                                                   | 8:30     | 9:00                 | 9:30        | 10:00                                         | 10:30              | 11:00       | 11:30       |
|------|---------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (3)  | Frasier                         | Frasier   | Movie: "Outrageous Fortune"                            |          |                      |             | St. Jude-Hope                                 | Wild Things        |             |             |
| (32) | Movie: "Au Pair" Cont'd         |           | Movie: "Borrowed Hearts: A Holiday Romance"            |          |                      |             | Movie: "Columbo: Rest in Peace, Mrs. Columbo" |                    |             |             |
| (6)  | Gymnastics: U.S. Olympic Trials |           |                                                        |          | Movie: "Judge Dredd" |             |                                               | News               | Big Break   |             |
| (8)  | Movie: "Life Size"              |           |                                                        |          | Be a Millionaire     |             | Practice                                      | News               | Paid Prog.  |             |
| (10) | Evening at Pops                 |           | Nature                                                 |          | Out of India         |             |                                               | Everest-Dreams     |             |             |
| (22) | Sportscenter                    | Baseball  | Major League Baseball: Texas Rangers at Boston Red Sox |          |                      |             |                                               | Sportscenter       |             |             |
| (34) | Outdoors                        | Outdoor   | Remington                                              | Hunting  | Championship Rodeo   |             |                                               | Drag Racing        | NASCAR      |             |
| (13) | 60 Minutes                      |           | Touched by an Angel                                    |          | Movie: "Saint Maybe" |             |                                               | News               |             |             |
| (41) | Goin' Deep                      |           | Boxing: Castillo vs. Wolfgramm                         |          |                      |             | Olberrmann                                    | Sports             | Last Word   |             |
| (15) | Movie: "Can't Hardly Wait"      |           |                                                        |          | Sex & City           | Arlliss     | Movie: "The Haunting"                         |                    |             |             |
| (17) | So Weird                        | Even      | Famous                                                 | Famous   | Movie: "Quints"      |             |                                               | Even               | Bug Juice   | Totally     |
| (18) | "Live Wire" Cont'd              |           | Movie: "Green Card"                                    |          |                      |             | Movie: "The Muse"                             |                    |             |             |
| (20) | Fan Attic                       |           |                                                        |          | ESPNews              | ESPNews     | ESPNews                                       | ESPNews            | ESPNews     | ESPNews     |
| (44) | Golden                          | Golden    | Any Day Now                                            |          |                      |             | Beyond Chance                                 | "A Kiss So Deadly" |             |             |
| (5)  | Shawshank R.                    |           | Movie: "High Noon"                                     |          |                      |             | Movie: "High Noon"                            |                    |             |             |
| (24) | Aminda                          | All That  | Caillan                                                | Garcia   | I Love Lucy          | I Love Lucy | I Love Lucy                                   | I Love Lucy        | I Love Lucy | I Love Lucy |
| (25) | Posedon                         | Screen    | Movie: "The Man Who Knew Too Much"                     |          |                      |             | Movie: "Last Train From Gun Hill"             |                    |             |             |
| (26) | WWF Sunday Night Heat           |           | Last One Standing                                      |          | War Next             | Manhattan   | La Femme Nikita                               | Law & Order        |             |             |
| (27) | Law & Order                     |           | Biography                                              |          |                      |             | Law & Order                                   | Law & Order        |             |             |
| (12) | Baseball                        | Fresh Pr. | Nightman                                               |          | Total Recall 2070    |             | News                                          | Replay             | Darkside    | Xena        |
| (39) | Worldview                       | Sports    | Worldview                                              | Pinnacle | CNN & Time           |             | Millennium                                    | Sports Tonight     |             |             |

## MONDAY EVENING AUGUST 21, 2000

|      | 7:00                                                    | 7:30                                                 | 8:00                                                        | 8:30      | 9:00                                                      | 9:30     | 10:00                    | 10:30                   | 11:00     | 11:30     |
|------|---------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                                                | Frasier                                              | Moesha                                                      | Parkers   | Grown Ups                                                 | Malcolm  | Star Trek: Voyager       | Mad                     | Mathis    |           |
| (32) | Early Edition                                           |                                                      | Providence                                                  |           | Courage                                                   |          | Early Edition            | 700 Club                |           |           |
| (6)  | Hollywood                                               | Seinfeld                                             | Mysterious Ways                                             |           | Law & Order                                               |          | Third Watch              | News                    |           |           |
| (8)  | Fortune                                                 | Jeopardy!                                            | NFL Preseason Football: Green Bay Packers at Miami Dolphins |           |                                                           |          |                          | News                    |           |           |
| (10) | News-Lehrer                                             |                                                      | Antiques Roadshow                                           |           | Empire of the Bay                                         |          | Jonas Salk               | To Contrary             | Religion  |           |
| (22) | Countdown                                               |                                                      | WNBA Basketball Playoffs: Conf. Final                       |           |                                                           |          | WNBA Basketball Playoffs |                         |           |           |
| (34) | Waltons                                                 |                                                      | Movie: "Honkytonk Man"                                      |           |                                                           |          | Bull Riding              | Cagney & Lacey          |           |           |
| (13) | Friends                                                 | Ent. Tonight                                         | Big Brother                                                 | King      | Raymond                                                   | Becker   | Family Law               | News                    |           |           |
| (41) | Baseball                                                | Boxing: Fight Time -- Eliecer Castillo vs. Wolfgramm |                                                             |           | See This                                                  |          | National Sports Report   | Sports                  | Last Word |           |
| (15) | Howard Cosell: Telling                                  |                                                      | Movie: "Lost & Found"                                       |           |                                                           |          | Movie: "Shark Attack"    |                         |           | Deep Blue |
| (17) | Movie: "Mulan"                                          |                                                      |                                                             |           | Movie: "The Color of Friendship"                          |          | 2 Hour Tour              | Movie: "The Wizard"     |           |           |
| (18) | How Stella Got                                          |                                                      | Movie: "Interview With the Vampire"                         |           |                                                           |          | Movie: "Stealth Fighter" |                         | Confessns |           |
| (20) | Major League Baseball: Anaheim Angels at Boston Red Sox |                                                      |                                                             |           |                                                           |          | ESPNews                  | ESPNews                 | ESPNews   | ESPNews   |
| (44) | Intimate Portrait                                       |                                                      | Unsolved Mysteries                                          |           | Movie: "Crimes of Passion: Nobody Lives Forever"          |          |                          | Golden                  | Golden    |           |
| (5)  | Fresh Pr.                                               | Fresh Pr.                                            | Fresh Pr.                                                   | Fresh Pr. | Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Colorado Rockies |          |                          |                         |           |           |
| (24) | Hey Arnold!                                             | Rugrats                                              | Rocket                                                      | Rocket    | Griffith                                                  | Griffith | Griffith                 | Griffith                | Griffith  | Griffith  |
| (25) | Three Stooges                                           |                                                      | Hollywood                                                   |           | Movie: "The Fall of the Roman Empire"                     |          |                          | Movie: "The Front Page" |           |           |
| (26) | JAG                                                     |                                                      | Nash Bridges                                                |           | WWF Raw                                                   |          | WWF War Zone             | Farmclub.com            |           |           |
| (27) | Law & Order                                             |                                                      | Biography                                                   |           | City Confidential                                         |          | Investigative Reports    | Law & Order             |           |           |
| (12) | Full House                                              | Full House                                           | Movie: "The Run of the Country"                             |           |                                                           |          | News                     | MacGyver                |           |           |
| (39) | Moneyline                                               | Crossfire                                            | World Today                                                 |           | Larry King Live                                           |          | Newsstand                | Sports                  | Moneyline |           |

## TUESDAY EVENING AUGUST 22, 2000

|      | 7:00                     | 7:30                         | 8:00                                                  | 8:30        | 9:00                                                      | 9:30       | 10:00                                  | 10:30                          | 11:00        | 11:30    |
|------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                 | Frasier                      | Movie: "Hot Boyz"                                     |             |                                                           |            | Star Trek: Voyager                     | Mad                            | Mathis       |          |
| (32) | Early Edition            |                              | "Race to Freedom: The Underground Railroad"           |             |                                                           |            | Early Edition                          | 700 Club                       |              |          |
| (6)  | Hollywood                | Seinfeld                     | 3rd Rock                                              | Sammy       | Frasier                                                   | Just Shoot | Dateline                               | News                           |              |          |
| (8)  | Fortune                  | Jeopardy!                    | Be a Millionaire                                      |             | Dharma                                                    | Norm       | NYPD Blue                              | News                           |              |          |
| (10) | News-Lehrer              |                              | Killmanjaro                                           |             | Nova                                                      |            | P.O.V.                                 |                                | Depression   |          |
| (22) | College Football Tonight |                              | College Football Tonight                              |             | NFL Century                                               |            | Baseball Tonight                       |                                | Sportscenter |          |
| (34) | Life and Times-Dallas    |                              | Movie: "The Dollmaker"                                |             |                                                           |            |                                        | Cagney & Lacey                 |              |          |
| (13) | Friends                  | Ent. Tonight                 | Big Brother                                           | Ladies Man  | 60 Minutes II                                             |            | Judging Amy                            | News                           |              |          |
| (41) | Baseball                 | See This                     | Inside Winston Cup                                    |             | Goin' Deep                                                |            | National Sports Report                 | Sports                         | Last Word    |          |
| (15) | "Doctor Dolittle" Cont'd |                              | Ali-Frazier 1                                         |             | Movie: "The Right Temptation"                             |            | Replacemn                              | Sex & City                     | Arlliss      |          |
| (17) | Movie: "Genius"          |                              |                                                       |             | Movie: "Quints"                                           |            |                                        | Movie: "The Neverending Story" |              |          |
| (18) | Never                    |                              | Movie: "The Matrix"                                   |             |                                                           |            | Movie: "Under Pressure"                |                                | "Die Hard"   |          |
| (20) | Front Row                | Equestrian: Chrysler Classic |                                                       |             |                                                           |            | ESPNews                                | ESPNews                        | ESPNews      | ESPNews  |
| (44) | Intimate Portrait        |                              | Unsolved Mysteries                                    |             | Movie: "Perfect Alibi"                                    |            |                                        | Golden                         | Golden       |          |
| (5)  | Fresh Pr.                | Fresh Pr.                    | Fresh Pr.                                             | Fresh Pr.   | Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Colorado Rockies |            |                                        |                                |              |          |
| (24) | Hey Arnold!              | Rugrats                      | Thornberrys                                           | Thornberrys | Gilligan                                                  | Gilligan   | Gilligan                               | Gilligan                       | Gilligan     | Gilligan |
| (25) | Three Stooges            |                              | Hidden Hollywood II                                   |             | Movie: "We're Not Married"                                |            | Movie: "Cahill, United States Marshal" |                                |              |          |
| (26) | JAG                      |                              | Nash Bridges                                          |             | Movie: "Red Corner"                                       |            |                                        | Strip Poker                    |              |          |
| (27) | Law & Order              |                              | Biography                                             |             | American Justice                                          |            | Investigative Reports                  | Law & Order                    |              |          |
| (12) | Full House               | Full House                   | Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros |             |                                                           |            | News                                   | Coach                          |              |          |
| (39) | Moneyline                | Crossfire                    | World Today                                           |             | Larry King Live                                           |            | Newsstand                              | Sports                         | Moneyline    |          |

## WEDNESDAY EVENING AUGUST 23, 2000

|      | 7:00                                                    | 7:30         | 8:00                                                 | 8:30           | 9:00                            | 9:30                       | 10:00                                        | 10:30       | 11:00                       | 11:30              |
|------|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| (3)  | Seinfeld                                                | Frasier      | 7 Days                                               |                | Star Trek: Voyager              |                            | Star Trek: Voyager                           |             | Mad                         | Mathis             |
| (32) | Early Edition                                           |              | Movie: "Nell"                                        |                |                                 |                            | Early Edition                                |             | 700 Club                    |                    |
| 6    | Hollywood                                               | Seinfeld     | Dateline                                             |                | Law & Order                     |                            | Law & Order                                  |             | News                        |                    |
| 8    | Fortune                                                 | Jeopardy!    | Two Guys                                             |                | Norm                            | Drew Carey                 | Spin City                                    | 20/20       | News                        |                    |
| 10   | News-Lehrer                                             |              | Mark R.                                              |                | Great Performances              |                            | Houston Symphony                             |             | Van Cliburn                 | Great Upset of '48 |
| 22   | Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced            |              |                                                      |                |                                 |                            | Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced |             |                             |                    |
| (34) | Waltons                                                 |              | Magnificent Seven                                    |                | 18 Wheels of Justice            |                            | Dead Man's Gun                               |             | Cagney & Lacey              |                    |
| 13   | Friends                                                 | Ent. Tonight | Survivor                                             |                |                                 |                            | Survivor: The Reunion                        |             | News                        |                    |
| (41) | Goin' Deep                                              |              | Boxing: Fight Time -- Eliecer Castillo vs. Wolfgramm |                |                                 | National Sports Report     |                                              | Sports      | Last Word                   |                    |
| (15) | Movie: "Mixing Nia"                                     |              |                                                      |                | Sex & City                      | Arlliss                    | Sopranos                                     |             | Oz                          |                    |
| (17) | 2 Hour Tour                                             |              | Movie: "P.U.N.K.S."                                  |                |                                 | Movie: "The Paper Brigade" |                                              | M2M & BBMak |                             |                    |
| (18) | Movie: "Die Hard 2" Cont'd                              |              |                                                      | Movie: "Trick" |                                 |                            | Movie: "The Muse"                            |             |                             |                    |
| (20) | Major League Baseball: Anaheim Angels at Boston Red Sox |              |                                                      |                |                                 |                            | ESPNews                                      | ESPNews     | ESPNews                     | ESPNews            |
| (44) | Intimate Portrait                                       |              | Unsolved Mysteries                                   |                | Movie: "Death of a Cheerleader" |                            |                                              |             | Golden                      | Golden             |
| (5)  | Fresh Pr.                                               | Fresh Pr.    | Ripley's Believe It or Not!                          |                | WCW Thunder                     |                            | WCW Thunder                                  |             | Ripley's Believe It or Not! |                    |
| (24) | Hey Arnold!                                             | Rugrats      | Hey Arnold!                                          | Hey Arnold!    | Hillbillies                     | Hillbillies                | Hillbillies                                  | Hillbillies | Hillbillies                 | Hillbillies        |
| (25) | Three Stooges                                           |              | Movie: "The Naked Prey"                              |                |                                 |                            | Movie: "All the President's Men"             |             |                             |                    |
| (26) | JAG                                                     |              | Nash Bridges                                         |                | Cover Me: FBI Family            |                            | Huntress                                     |             | Strip Poker                 | Ranger             |
| (27) | Law & Order                                             |              | Biography                                            |                | American Justice                |                            | Investigative Reports                        |             | Law & Order                 |                    |
| (31) | Full House                                              | Full House   | Movie: "A Fight for Jenny"                           |                |                                 | News                       |                                              | MacGyver    |                             |                    |
| (39) | Moneyline                                               | Crossfire    | World Today                                          |                | Larry King Live                 |                            | Newsstand                                    |             | Sports                      | Moneyline          |



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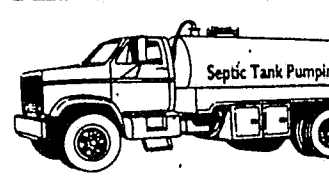
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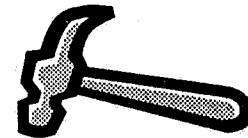
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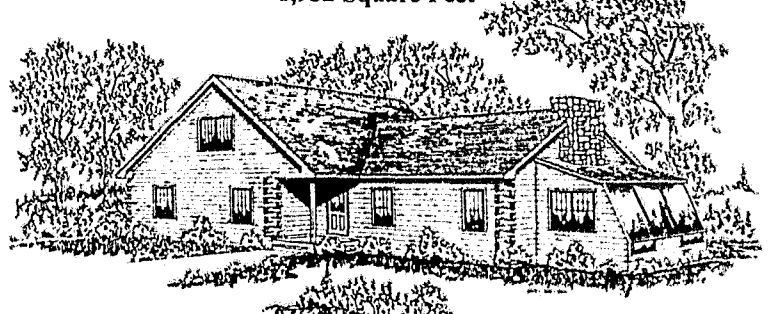
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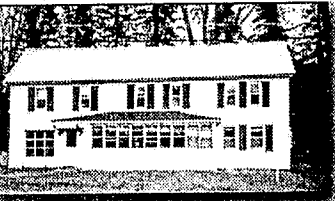
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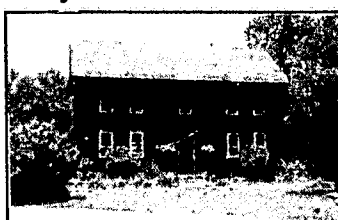
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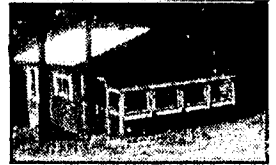
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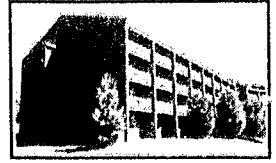
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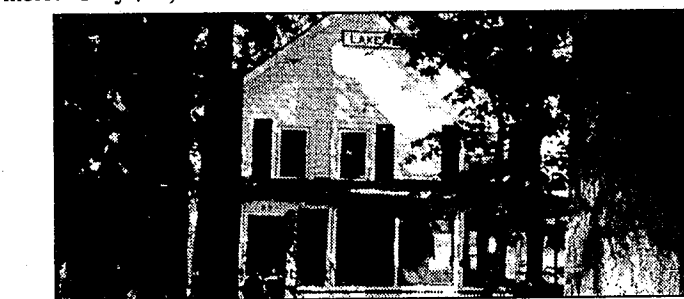
**North Pond, Woodstock**  
.83 acre lot offers 75' sandy beach frontage, privacy, seasonal access. \$29,900

## Condominiums

**Lake Christopher, Woodstock**  
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Nicely maintained, 2 level, 1 bedroom condo. Close proximity to pool, restaurants/pubs. \$53,000



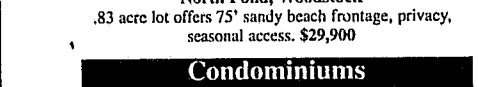
**North Pond, Woodstock:** Sitting over the water's edge, "Lake View" cottage is sure to please! Spectacular pond views, 205' +/- water frontage! Main level boasts living, kitchen, dining, 3/4 bath and wrap around screened/glass porch; upper level has 2 bedrooms, 1/2 bath and screened porch. Potential for sleeping loft; detached 1-car garage with workshop area. Private, secluded & furnished! \$149,000



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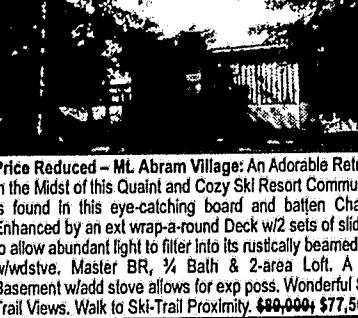


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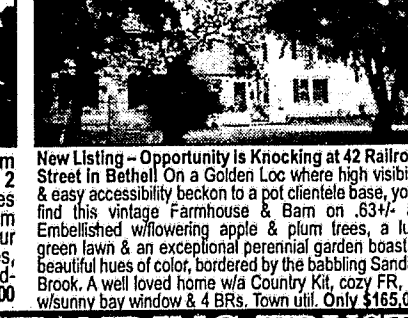
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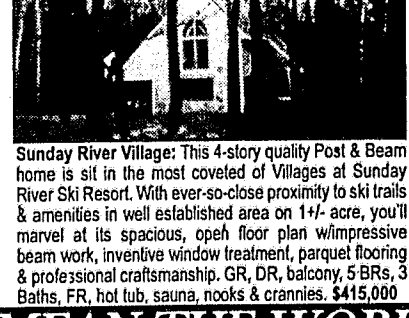
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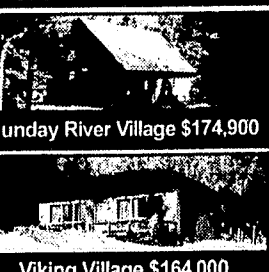


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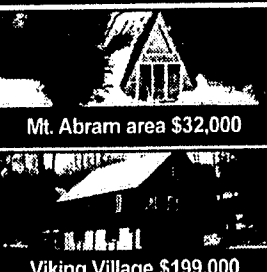
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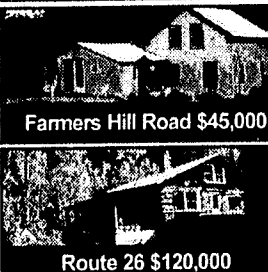
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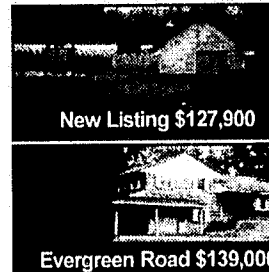
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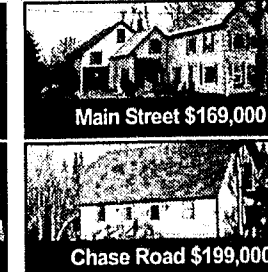
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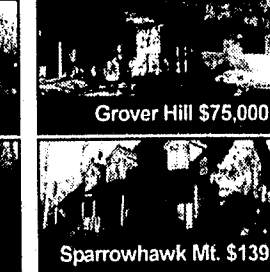
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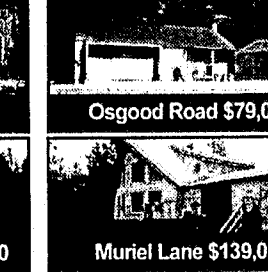
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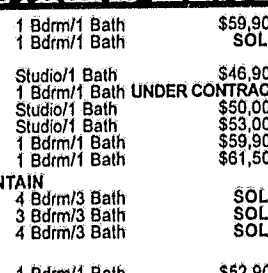
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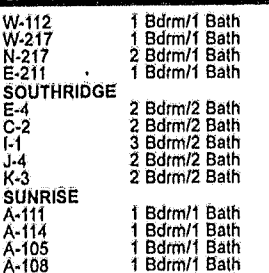
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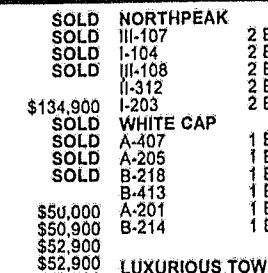
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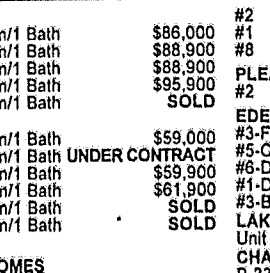
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# Obituaries

## MARIE E. CORRIN

Marie Elizabeth Corrin, 84, of Rapid City, S.D., died Tuesday, Aug. 8, 2000 after an automobile accident in Mule Creek Junction, Wyo.

She was born on March 25, 1916, near Miller, S.D., to George and Jessie (Carr) Whittington.

Marie married George Corrin on April 21, 1935, at Presho, S.D. They moved to Rapid City in 1944.

Marie worked as an office typist for the County Extension office in Miller, the Register of Deeds office for Pennington County and First Federal Savings in Rapid City. She also helped her husband in his insurance business.

She was a very active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Rapid City and a 50-year member of the Double 6 Extension Club. She was a volunteer with the Red Cross and Hospice and a member of the Canyon Lake Senior Citizens Center.

Since education was so very important to her, she provided scholarship funds for all her children and grandchildren.

Her love of music was shared with the community through her involvement with the church handbell and chancel choirs, senior dances and organ and piano accompaniment at churches and senior centers. She also enjoyed sharing her musical passion and talents with her family and friends.

Survivors include two sons, Ken-

neth Corrin and his wife Roberta of Rapid City and Denis Corrin of Bryant Pond; two daughters, Jana Faye and her good friend Ray Stanton of Longmont, Colo., and (Georgia) Kay Larson and her husband George of Holyoke, Colo.; 10 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a sister, Genevieve Sloan of Spirit Lake, Iowa. Her parents; her husband, George; a sister, Fairbelle Whittington; and a brother, Ernest G. Whittington predeceased her. Her sister, Betty J. Bentley, also died in the traffic accident.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Aug. 14, at the First Presbyterian Church in Rapid City, with Dr. David Miller officiating. Graveside services were held on Tuesday, Aug. 15, at the G.A.R. Cemetery in Miller, with the Rev. Brian Jones officiating. A memorial has been established.

## DOROTHY R. BETTS

Dorothy R. Betts, 72, of North Conway, N.H., died Wednesday evening, Aug. 9, 2000 at Memorial Hospital, North Conway, N.H.

She was born in Lynn, Mass., on Sept. 20, 1927, the daughter of Frank I. and Elsie (Hatch) Childs. She resided in Greenwood, following her retirement, and moved to North Conway a year ago.

She was a member of the Salem Chapter No. 98 Order of the Eastern Star in Salem, Mass.

Mrs. Betts was an avid reader and donated hundreds of books to local schools. She was a former member of the Board of Directors of the Northeast Credit Union. Prior to her retirement, she was employed by the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard in Portsmouth, N.H., as a comptroller.

Survivors include a daughter, Barbara A. Spofford of Conway, N.H.; a son, Robert B. and his wife Theresa I. of Rochester, N.H.; a daughter-in-law, Joy D. Betts of Cape Neddick; a brother-in-law, Leland B. Betts of Portsmouth, N.H.; five grandchildren; and a sister, Barbara Dee of Salem, Mass. She was predeceased by her husband, John; a son, Ronald B.; and a son-in-law, Stephen P. Spofford.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Aug. 12, at the Furbur and White Funeral Home, North Conway, N.H. Interment was at Riverside Cemetery, Bethel. Anyone who wishes may make donations in her memory to the Harvest Hills Animal Shelter, Route 302, Fryeburg, ME 04037.

## VERA L. POLLARD

Vera L. Pollard, 75, a resident of Poland, died Friday afternoon, Aug. 11, 2000 at her home following a lingering illness.

She was born in Clairmont, N.H., on April 13, 1925, the daughter of Archie and Effie Walker Bolia. She was educated in Syracuse, N.Y., schools.

She was married to the late Henry M. Pollard.

In her earlier years she was employed at a tree nursery. She also did farm work, and in later years she was employed at Beal's Laundry.

She enjoyed painting on glass, cooking, fishing, flowers and gardening.

Survivors include her children, Charles H. of Palm Springs, Calif.; Lynne Berry of Bryant Pond, Diane Chabot of Lewiston, Robert of Poland, Calvin and Cindy of Poland, Julia Robichaud of Poland, and Henry III of Oxford; 23 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; a sister, Virginia Wade of Syracuse, N.Y.; and a brother, Delbert Bolia also of Syracuse. She will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Graveside services were held on Monday, Aug. 14, at Mt. Auburn Cemetery, Auburn.

## LILA B. FARRINGTON

Lila B. Farrington, 87, died peacefully surrounded by her family on Saturday, Aug. 12, 2000 at the Rumford Community Home. Formerly of East Andover, she had resided in Rumford since 1979.

She was born in Rumford on Oct. 15, 1912, the daughter of Frank and Mary (Donahue) Murphy and had attended Mexico schools.

From 1960 to 1979, Mrs. Farrington was employed at Swain's Dowell Mill in East Andover until her retirement in 1979.

She was a charter member of the East Andover Community Club for 47 years and served as vice president and secretary and was made an honorary member in 1992. She had also served as a Girl Scout leader.

She was married in Mexico on Dec. 16, 1931, to John Everett Farrington, who died in Dixfield on April 16, 1995.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. Mary White of Livermore, Mrs. Joseph (Geraldine) Parise of Rumford, Mrs. Daniel (June) Trenoweth of Mexico, Mrs. Albert (Carol) Nelson Jr. of East Stoneham, Mrs. Richard (Linda) Theriault of South Rumford, and Mrs. Keith (Bonnie) Vashaw of Rumford; two sons, Frank of Norway and Reginald of Stafford Springs, Conn.; a sister, Mrs. Inez Stinchfield of Rumford; a brother, John E. Murphy of Peru; 28 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and 12 great-great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a daughter, Gloria Joanne Farrington.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Aug. 14, at Meader & Son Funeral Home, Rumford, with Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse officiating. Interment was at Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover. Donations in her memory may be made to the Scholarship Fund of East Andover Community Club, c/o Mrs. Violet Swain, P.O. Box 7, East Andover, ME 04226.



## Smith — Kimball

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald D. Smith of Locke Mills are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Koral L. Smith to Amos A. Kimball, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimball of Bethel.

The bride-to-be is a full-time student at the University of Maine at Augusta.

The future groom is a 1990 graduate of Northern Maine Technical College and is the owner/operator of AK's Excavation.

The wedding is planned for Sept. 23 at the Locke Mills Union Church.

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